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## NEW HOUSING SCHEME READY

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rehabilitation purposes without security or endowments, the federal treasury guaranteed the banks against 15 per cent of the loss on an aggregate total of \$50,000,000.

The discount rate will be 3 1/2 per cent, which works out at an effective rate to the borrower of 6.32 per cent if he pays back in twelve monthly installments. This, Mr. Dunning said, was about half the interest cost of ordinary installment buying and represented a comparatively low return to the banks in view of the handling expenses.

**FREE OF TAXATION**  
It would be the understanding, Mr. Purvis said, that municipalities would agree not to tax the improvements to properties to be made under the scheme. He intimated if it were found any municipalities attempted to increase the assessment because of improvements made through these loans the scheme would be made ineffective in that particular jurisdiction.

**TERMS SET OUT**  
General conditions which the lending institutions will have to meet to obtain the government guarantee are as follows:

1. Loans are to be made to owners of residential property (including farm houses) for repairs, alterations and additions including built-in equipment.
2. Loans shall not exceed \$2,000 in amount on any single property. More than one loan may be made on a single property if the aggregate amount does not exceed \$2,000.
3. Loans are to be repaid in equal monthly installments or in suitable installments for such other periods as may be necessary to fit the conditions of the individual borrower.
4. The maximum charge for the loans shall be 3 1/2 per cent discount for a one-year loan repayable in equal monthly installments, and proportionate rates for other periods.
5. No service or insurance charges or any additional charges of any kind may be made except certain stipulated penalties for arrears.
6. No endorsements or other security will be required.

**FORMS ARE SPEEDY**  
It might take about two weeks before active operations could be started, said Mr. Purvis. A little time would be required for the banks to provide the necessary forms and to instruct local managers of all their branches. Prospective borrowers should make application to their local bank.

Loans will be made only to building owners, but the fact the property is mortgaged will not be a deterrent to making the loan.

**WORK FOR MANY**  
P. M. Draper, president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, expressed satisfaction at the government's decision to initiate the program immediately.

Mr. Draper believed it would result in thousands of men being put to work in all parts of the Dominion. Under the old Dominion Housing Act, he said, no provision had been made for loans to small home-owners and it appeared to him that extension of the act would provide much work.

## LUDWIG FORESEES WORLD WAR SOON

Canadian Press  
Montreal, Oct. 17.—Another world war within two years was predicted today by Emil Ludwig, German-Jewish biographer.

Mr. Ludwig, who arrived here yesterday from South America with his wife, was asked if he meant conflict between Fascist and Communist nations. He waved a hand—waved away the political labels.

"It is no longer Communism and Fascism," he said. "You have so much of state socialism in Berlin and Rome that one can no longer use the differentiating terms."

"No, war will come because there are two conflicting philosophies in the world. It will come just as it did in the days of the religious wars of Europe. It will come because there are the aggressive and defensive nations. They will fight."

## France Now Taking Over Arms Plants

**First Move Is in Airplane Field; Industrialists Charge Government Siding With Strikers**

Associated Press  
Paris, Oct. 17.—French industrialists, alarmed over threats of prospective government confiscation of their factories, charged officials today with siding with striking workers.

The accusations by plant owners came on the heels of a navy ministry order yesterday to an armament company to resume work on equipment for two new French cruisers. The ministry threatened to invoke a military requisition law of 1877, take over the plant and supervise operations.

The industrialist federation declared the government was "abusing powers granted in the interests of national defense for arbitrary settlement of labor conflicts."

The strike at a Paris factory halted work on armaments for the cruisers Dunkerque and Strasbourg, now being outfitted at Brest and Saint Nazaire, respectively.

**AIR ARMS MOVE**  
In another government department, Pierre Cot, Air Minister, ordered immediate nationalization of all factories engaged in the manufacture of airplanes and aviation accessories.

Mr. Cot invoked the armament nationalization law passed by Parliament last August, and said the program would be put into effect immediately, in such a manner as not to slow up production.

Some ten factories of various types are expected to pass from private ownership into the hands of the government under the sweeping new program. Among them are the great Schneider arms works at Le Creusot, the Hotchkiss machine gun plant, the Brandt arms factory and that part of the Renault works which manufacture tanks.

**AT STRATEGIC POINTS**  
Under the first measures, announced yesterday evening, four state airplane manufacturing companies will be established in various strategic locations in France. The air ministry is now drafting incorporation papers for the four companies.

Two-thirds of the capital for each company will be subscribed by the state. Stockholders of the old private companies will be paid off.

Present owners of the factories will be allowed to keep one-third of the stock, and in addition will receive nominal dividends.

**ELECTION RAIDED**  
Officers of the huge Renault automobile factory outside Paris reported Communist workers "raided" a right-left union election, forcibly taking possession of the factory hall, smashing the ballot boxes and ousting the voters.

Two persons injured yesterday in a sugar beet factory fight at Chartres were in a hospital in a critical condition.

**ROQUE QUESTIONED**  
Col. François de La Rocque, leader of the Fascist Social Party, was summoned for questioning in connection with the native disorders in Algeria, where leftists charged de La Rocque with supporters with starting disturbances.

The government of Premier Blum also faced threats of Radical-Socialists to desert the People's Front political coalition unless the administration takes strong steps to make Communists "behave."

## Belgium Holds to Military Accords

**Government Reported Not Giving Up Duties Under French Pact and League Obligations; Large Army Appropriation Sought**

Associated Press  
Brussels, Oct. 17.—The newspaper Independence Belge said today it had learned authoritatively that Belgium did not intend to give up its military accords with France, its duties under the League of Nations Covenant or its adherence to principles of the Locarno pact.

It also reported the Belgian chief of staff had asked for the equivalent of \$100,000,000 to complete the modernization of the army.

Last Wednesday's speech by King Leopold to the cabinet, the newspaper stated, was unanimously approved by the ministers.

**STATEMENT OF PRINCIPLE**  
Furthermore, the Independence said, the King's declaration that "we must aim resolutely at placing ourselves outside the conflict of our neighbors" must be regarded as a statement of principle, rather than an out-and-out declaration of neutrality.

The necessity for strengthening Belgium's defenses was pointed out in King Leopold's speech, and will be discussed on October 27 at the opening of an extraordinary session of Parliament.

**BRITAIN ENCOURAGES**  
London, Oct. 17 (Associated Press).—Great Britain, feeling now that Belgium has no intention of turning her back on her continental obligations, found the international situation more encouraging on two fronts today.

## Storms Along Atlantic Coast

Associated Press  
New York, Oct. 17.—Autumn rains whipped along the United States Atlantic seaboard today, delaying shipping and lashing the Atlantic Ocean with such fury that small boats were forced to race for cover. Winds in at least one instance reached sixty miles an hour.

Several members of a coal barge crew were rescued when the barge sank off Bradley Beach, N.J., in a rain and wind squall.

## CLAIM COMBINE ON AUTO PARTS

**U.S. Trade Commission Accuses Five Associations of Market Control**

Associated Press  
Washington, Oct. 17.—The United States federal trade commission announced today it had accused five trade associations, composed of manufacturers and jobbers of automobile parts and accessories, with forming a combination to control the market in these products throughout the United States.

Two of the organizations, the National Standard Parts Association of Detroit, and the Motor and Equipment Wholesale Association of Chicago, were described as national organizations. The other three respondents are middle-western regional groups.

The commission alleged the five associations, "representing a substantial portion of the total volume of business of all manufacturers and jobbers of automobile parts and accessories throughout the United States," were organized "for the purpose of binding together the largest possible number of competing individuals, partnerships and corporations, and of obtaining their co-operation for a common end."

## Reich Reshapes Colonies Drive

**Joachim von Ribbentrop Will Supervise Campaign For Recovery**

Associated Press  
Berlin, Oct. 17.—Germany's campaign to regain her colonies lost in post-war treaties may be supervised in the future by Joachim von Ribbentrop, Chancellor Hitler's ambassador-designate to London, authoritative sources believed today.

Wilhelmstrasse circles understood the Reich's foreign policy as an organization designed to marshal support for the territorial demands, would soon be dissolved and Ribbentrop placed in charge of the movement.

The league was organized last June to supplant the former German Colonial Society, which passed out of existence after forty-nine years of activity.

## CREDIT HOUSES IN ALBERTA SOON

Edmonton, Oct. 17.—The Alberta government has proclaimed its legislation providing for state credit houses, an integral part of its social credit financial set-up. It was set forth formally in the provincial Gazette yesterday.

The legislation, passed at a special session of the Legislature in August, provides for state credit houses in each provincial constituency.

Provincial Secretary Manning said the first credit houses would be established in a block of eleven or twelve constituencies north of Red Deer, and including Edmonton. It was intended to have them in operation by November 15 for acceptance of deposits, but not necessarily for distribution of dividends.

## WARBURG AGAIN AIDS ROOSEVELT

Associated Press  
New York, Oct. 17.—James P. Warburg, member of a prominent New York banking family, who quit as an economic adviser to President Roosevelt in protest against New Deal fiscal policies, said today he would support the President for re-election.

It was believed his reaffirmation of support for the President came from two things—the recently-concluded tripartite monetary agreement between the United States, France and Britain, and the reciprocal tariff pact concluded under the leadership of Secretary of State Hull.

## Navigator Deceived By Light on Shore

Associated Press  
Monterey, Calif., Oct. 17.—The six-ton \$15,000 power cruiser, Sea Monger, owned by Mrs. L. B. Bohl of San Francisco, was pulled off the beach here. It went ashore after the navigator had mistaken a grocery store neon light for a harbor beacon.

Much of the superstructure, including the roof of the cabin, was washed off the cruiser.

## Munitions Boxes Labelled "Butter"

**A.P. Correspondent Sees Supplies Reach Spanish Insurgents Through Portugal**

There are strange sights in the Spanish war, and an observer cannot believe all he sees. An Associated Press correspondent noted what he saw in his notebook. Some of the details are:

Hendaye, Franco-Spanish frontier (by mail to Paris and New York, Oct. 16).—Leaves from a war correspondent's diary:

Two frontiers, robes and berets, and "butter and eggs" . . .

Near Braganza, on the Spanish-Portuguese border . . . 3 o'clock in the morning and speeding for the nearest Portuguese telegraph office in a rattling Spanish taxi . . .

Around a bend in the road, and the brakes screech . . . almost into a long motorcade of heavy trucks, crammed with big and heavy boxes . . . supplies for the insurgent troops . . .

**PRIESTS CARRY RIFLES**  
On the Franco-Spanish line . . . priests, their religious duties completed, patrol the roads in insurgent territory . . . rifles slung across their backs, red candles held in their hands and flowing black robes . . .

**Commission Plan For Manchukuo Border**

Associated Press  
Tokyo, Oct. 17.—Japanese officials said today Soviet Russia had sent a new note to Japan concerning the long-standing and bitter dispute between the two nations over the boundary between Russia and Manchukuo, Japanese-sponsored state.

Moscow agreed, officials said, to Japan's proposal that a mixed commission be established to re-define the border. Russia suggested it should operate between Lake Hanka and the Tumen River.

## Two Before Court On Alcohol Charge

Canadian Press  
Toronto, Oct. 17.—Alleged owners of a \$35,000 alcohol cargo seized by police, James Dixon and Eric Durbin, both of Hamilton, were remanded in police court today until next Tuesday. Bail was set at \$5,000 each.

The two were arrested last night after provincial police had discovered and seized a truckload of alcohol.

## Spanish Consul In France Disappears

Associated Press  
Perpignan, France, Oct. 17.—Francisco Botey, Spanish vice-consul in the French border town of Perpignan, was missing today and friends expressed fear he had been kidnapped and killed by Spanish extremists.

Authorities began an investigation of reports Botey had received threatening letters because he was allegedly aiding Fascists to escape from Spain.

## Dr. R. C. West, Woodstock, Dies

Canadian Press  
Woodstock, Ont., Oct. 17.—Active as a medical practitioner here for nearly half a century, Dr. Robert C. West, eighty-three, died at his home here today.

After further investigation last yesterday and questioning of a number of persons who were nearby when the man was slain, police announced they believed only one man was involved in the shooting. At first it was believed one man had approached Quon from in front while another crept up behind him and fired the fatal bullet.

A revolver, believed to have been used by the killer, was found yesterday in an ash container in an alleyway which the slayer escaped.

**BULLETS EXAMINED**  
Four bullets were found to have struck the police informer, three in the head and one which passed through his body.

One of the bullets, found lodged under his chin, and parts of others which had struck the wall of a nearby building after passing through him, were being examined today by Inspector J. F. C. Vance of the police bureau of science.

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## Big Plane From U.S. For Russia

Associated Press  
Baltimore, Oct. 17.—A giant plane of the China Clipper type but with a more powerful engine is being built by the Glenn L. Martin Company for the Russian Government. The ship, slated for delivery in 1937, will cost approximately \$1,000,000.

## Big Areas of U.S. Coast Swept By Fire

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ten feet of the hospital was destroyed and all of the windows on that side of the hospital were smashed by the heat.

Fire Warden Bert Werder said it was a miracle fire did not destroy the ocean villages of Vallarta and Backways Beach, where residents set backfires and used wet sacks to beat at flames which towered above their homes.

**OUT OF CONTROL**  
Most of the fires still blazed out of control today. One of the few blazes definitely under control was the one that threatened Bolinas in "Beautiful Marin," favored hiking spot of out-of-door San Franciscans.

**FIRE IN OREGON**  
Newport, Ore., Oct. 17 (Associated Press).—A strong east wind whipped an old fire between Waldport and Yachats into a dangerous blaze today, with the flames spreading rapidly toward Yachats, a mile distant. A telephone line between the two points was burned out, cutting off communication, and owners were evacuating cabin cottages. The outlying district of Waldport was reported endangered and all available men were assembled on fire lines.

**FIRE IN WASHINGTON**  
Seattle, Oct. 17 (Associated Press).—Eighty-three civilian conservation corps youths and other workers battled a fire today in fifty acres of slashtings about five miles west of Port Ludlow, in Jefferson county.

Maj. Charles S. Cowan, chief fire warden of the Washington Forest Fire Association, said the fire probably had started from a hunter's campfire. The C.C.C. youths went from a camp at Quilcene.

Officials of the McCormick Lumber Company, which has timber holdings in the vicinity, telephoned C. J. Conover, assistant supervisor for the U.S. forest service, for aid.

## Loyalists Close Gates Of Madrid to War Refugees

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The keynote of hundreds of Russian mass meetings was this: Unless Fascist aid to the insurgents ceases immediately, the Spanish republic must be given access to everything necessary to win its struggle.

**NORWAY NEUTRALITY**  
Oslo, Norway, Oct. 17.—Following reports that Norwegian ships loaded with ammunition consigned to the Spanish Madrid government had sailed from a Russian Baltic port yesterday, the Norwegian Foreign Office promptly announced that strict neutrality regulations would prevent it from

## Vancouver Police Question Chinese

Try to Track Down Oriental Who Shot and Killed Quon, Police Informer

Canadian Press  
Vancouver, Oct. 17.—Vancouver police today questioned Orientals in an effort to solve the slaying of Quon Quon, Chinese police informer, shot down in Chinatown here on Thursday night.

After further investigation last yesterday and questioning of a number of persons who were nearby when the man was slain, police announced they believed only one man was involved in the shooting. At first it was believed one man had approached Quon from in front while another crept up behind him and fired the fatal bullet.

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## Three Injured Men Recover

Canadian Press  
Trail, B.C., Oct. 17.—Three employees of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company who were injured on Tuesday by an explosion which damaged the smelting plant's blower room here, were reported in good condition today.

Hospital authorities report the men—John A. McLeod, Steve Palek and El Balachanoff—were not as seriously injured as at first believed.

Company officials today said the plant was working as usual, with no interruption in production.

The explosion occurred shortly after the power had failed for a short time and was believed to have been caused as a result of carbon monoxide gas from the blast furnaces backing up into the main feeder pipe. That pipe, a number of valves and a header on one of the blower units were destroyed.

This was the first time in seven years that a gas explosion of any kind had been experienced in the company's smelting department.

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## Big Plane From U.S. For Russia

Associated Press  
Burgos, Spain, Oct. 17.—Insurgent forces marched on Madrid from three directions today.

Fascist attackers launched a new drive along the main northern highway between the capital and Burgos, headquarters of the insurgent provisional government.

Columbus pushed eastward in the mountainous sector "west" of Madrid while other units attacked in the northeast.

1. A strong movement of Fascist forces from the Guadarrama sector concentrating on Torreaguna, thirty-eight miles almost due north of Madrid.

## Attacks Renewed

Associated Press  
Burgos, Spain, Oct. 17.—Insurgent forces renewed assaults in Guadarrama province by troops advancing on the provincial capital of the same name from Sigüenza.

3. Continued drive against Navalcarnero and El Escorial in the west.

A minor operation was begun against Aranjuez, strategic communications centre thirty miles east of Toledo.

**SAY ATTACKS REPULSED**  
Madrid, Oct. 17.—Government forces repulsed Fascist attacks directly west of Madrid, the war ministry reported today, while other Socialist troops staged a "strategic retreat" near Navalcarnero.

The retreat, it was declared, had repulsed attacks on Robledo de Chavela and Naval del Marqués.

**TWENTY MILES AWAY**  
The ministry acknowledged the retreat from Valmadoja toward Navalcarnero, on the main Maqueda-Madrid highway, which brought the defence lines approximately twenty miles southwest of the capital.

The retreat to Navalcarnero placed government troops near Ollas del Rey, on the Toledo-Madrid highway, in a precarious position. Evacuation of Valmadoja left the insurgents behind their flank and in command of the Valmadoja-Yurcos secondary road.

## Parliament For Scotland Urged

Canadian Press from Havas  
Stirling, Scotland, Oct. 17.—Establishment of a separate Scottish Parliament, because the British Parliament is too preoccupied with foreign affairs and Empire defence matters to deal with Scotland's problems, was advocated by the Duke of Montrose here today.

In a resolution tabled with the Scottish Liberal Confederation, meeting here, the Duke asked that the necessity for creating a Scottish Parliament to deal with urgent matters vital to the prosperity of the country.

A man bought a car cheap.

A few days later a friend asked him how it was, and he replied: "My dear chap, I'm just beginning to realize how hard it is to drive a bargain."

## The Weather

Daily Bulletin  
Published by the  
Metropolitan  
Department

Victoria, 5 a.m., Oct. 17.—The barometer is falling slightly and rain has occurred on the coast. The weather is cloudy and continues in other parts of British Columbia. It is cloudy and mild on the prairies.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, maximum yesterday 64, minimum 56; wind, 8 miles N.E.; clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, maximum yesterday 58, minimum 50; wind, 4 miles S.W.; rain, 38.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, maximum yesterday 58, minimum 50; wind, 4 miles S.W.; rain, 38.

Portland, Ore.—Temperature, maximum yesterday 58, minimum 54; wind, 4 miles N.W.; clear.

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## Japan Is Investing Much in Manchukuo

Associated Press  
Tokyo, Oct. 17.—Japan has invested \$682,000,000 in Manchukuo since the autonomous state was created under Japanese supervision in 1931, authoritative sources disclosed today.

Of the total, \$312,000,000 was reported to have been spent for maintenance of armed forces and suppression of banditry. Only \$40,000,000 was used in private investments, it was declared.

The Manchukuo government was represented as planning to inaugurate a new five-year industrial plan calling for expenditure of \$410,000,000.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Rummage sale, St. Mary's Ladies' Guild, Tuesday, October 20, 2.30 p.m., St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay. Articles called for. Phone Mrs. Blowers E 1371.

The Cole Players (Senior) in Emerson Brown's "The Bad Man," Empire Theatre, October 26 and 27. Director, Enid Cole.

The Forest Inn, Shawnigan Lake, will be closed for the winter months on October 20.

Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Tuesday, October 20, 2.45 p.m. Mr. H. J. Child. "The Human Side of Business." Miss Dorothy Parsons, soloist.

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# Training Centre For Police Is Planned

Institution at Regina to Benefit All Forces in Canada Is Hope of R.C.M.P.

Canadian Press  
Ottawa, Oct. 17.—Establishment of a national training centre available to all the police forces in Canada is the aim of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, Sir James MacBrien, commissioner of the force, states in his annual report for the fiscal year 1935-36.

The report, just issued, records an active and successful year for the re-constructed force, with all branches of the service showing increased efficiency. The training centre at Regina was kept busy during the year, providing instruction for new recruits and refresher courses for seasoned constables and officers.

"It is with some regret," the report says, "that I am obliged to report that I have not been able to establish a national training centre there (at Regina) which would be available to all police forces in Canada. The reason for this is largely on account of lack of building accommodation and equipment. However, a beginning has been made and the ultimate aim will not be lost sight of."

**GAINS CONSOLIDATED**  
Pressure on headquarters was not so great as during the previous year and the commissioner said it was possible to consolidate progressive measures already initiated and take advantage of experience gained over a period. Efforts to improve efficiency were beginning to bear fruit.

Last March 31, the end of the fiscal year, the force numbered ninety officers, 2,274 non-commissioned officers and constables, 135 special constables and 217 members of the marine section, or a total of 2,717 of all ranks. This was a total increase in strength of 144 over the previous year.

Of eleven members of the force who died during the year four met violent deaths in the discharge of duties. One was shot by a demented farmer at Rosebud, Alta., and three were killed in attempting to capture three youths wanted for robbery in a long chase from Manitoba to the Rocky Mountains.

Despite the hazardous nature of a policeman's life, there is no lack of applications for engagement in the force. The total during the year was 2,678, and of these 246 were engaged.

**SCIENTIFIC METHODS**  
Under the head of criminal investigation the report states consideration has been given to establishing in Ottawa a scientific laboratory for technical investigations. In the past, the force has availed itself of civilian experts as necessary agents, but it was

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# AIR RAID DRILL STAGED IN PARIS

Ambulances Rush About As "Bombs" Dropped on Darkened City By Planes; Students Share in Excitement

Associated Press  
Paris, Oct. 17.—Paris was plunged into wartime conditions last night when an eerily realistic air drill blackened the capital of France.

Sirens wailed and "enemy" bombing planes dived in the darkness overhead.

"Bombs"—small rockets—were tossed on the city, and their flickering descents marked goals for ambulances and fire engines which raced through the boulevards with only dim blue lights showing the way.

Most of the "bombs" were dropped around the Odéon, historic site theatre on the left bank of the Seine.

**STUDENTS ENJOY SHOW**

There, with utmost seriousness, police and firemen dashed headlong into the streets, shouting to their fellow citizens to take cover.

Groups of students ran to the roof of the theatre in the pitch darkness, and the firemen promptly raised ladders to "rescue" them.

Groups of mobile guards, perspiring profusely under their gas-masks, carried stretcher loads of uproarious students into ambulances.

The clacking of the rapid firing anti-aircraft guns shooting "blanks" mixed with the constant roar of airplane engines overhead while powerful searchlights lashed the sky with their beams.

Police later announced 458 persons had been summoned to appear in court for failing to extinguish lights during the raid "rehearsal."

**French Thanks Sent Canadians**  
Valenciennes Welcomed Gift From War Veterans From Saskatchewan

Canadian Press  
Ottawa, Oct. 17.—The pilgrimage of Canadian ex-servicemen and their dependents to Vimy Ridge during the summer was recalled by receipt of a letter of thanks yesterday from Mayor Millot of Valenciennes to Lieut.-Col. J. S. Rankin, D.S.O., former commanding officer of the 46th (South Saskatchewan) Battalion.

The letter voiced the gratitude of the city for the voluminous copy of the operation order covering the attack on Valenciennes on November 1, 1918, in which affair the late Sergeant Hugh Cairns of the battalion won the Victoria Cross.

The day prior to the unveiling of the Canadian Memorial on Vimy Ridge the city of Valenciennes dedicated a street to the memory of Hugh Cairns and in the course of the ceremony Major G. H. Gilbert, M.C., Yorkton, Sask., on behalf of the 46th Battalion, presented to Mayor Millot the copy of the operation order.

In his letter the mayor said this document, translated into French, had been placed in the municipal library in order that the citizens of Valenciennes might know to whom they are indebted for their deliverance.

**Lloyds Explain Insurance Halt**  
Too Much Publicity For Bombproof Shelters in Britain in Case of War

Canadian Press  
London, Oct. 17.—Too much publicity in connection with the construction of bombproof shelters on English estates was advanced yesterday as one reason why Lloyds' underwriters had refused to issue war insurance.

Published reports of bombproof and gasproof shelters on large estates brought on a flood of requests for war risk land insurance. One of the owners of a bomb shelter is Sir Malcolm Campbell, the auto speed king, and there were reports that underground theatres, safe from possible air bombardment, would be built in certain of the larger cities.

The firm announced Wednesday it would issue no more war insurance to landowners in the British Isles.

For many years Lloyds' have been ready to insure any landowner against war damage at a rate of one-fifth of 1 per cent.

Recently, it was explained, Lloyds were startled by a sudden increase in requests for war insurance, and decided to decline such policies entirely, "and probably permanently."

**CAULIFLOWER DUTY DOWN**  
Ottawa, Oct. 17 (Canadian Press).—Fixed value for duty purposes on cauliflower, amounting to an advance of two cents a pound on the invoice price, is being suspended on imports into Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, and British Columbia, Hon. J. L. Hiley, Minister of National Revenue, announced today. The suspension will become effective October 26.

In butterflies, red, yellow and green are pigment colors, while blue and violet are due mostly to refraction of light.

# FIREFIGHTERS' VIEWS DIFFER

Vancouver Men, Suspended, Are Not Rejoining International Association

Canadian Press  
Vancouver, Oct. 17.—The charter of the Vancouver local of the International Association of Firefighters has been revoked because of alleged violation of a clause in the constitution forbidding strike activities. This was announced yesterday by F. W. Baer, president of the international association.

Baer, who is in Vancouver with George J. Richardson, association secretary, Albert Higgins, vice-president for division six, which comprises western Canada, and Max MacMillan, vice-president for division seven, including Washington, Montana, and Idaho, said the Vancouver local had violated the clause by taking a strike vote during negotiations with the city on questions of work and wages in April, 1935.

**WOULD REPEAT ACTS**  
The president said Vancouver delegates to the firefighters' convention at Asbury Park, N.J., in September had admitted the alleged strike threat and added the same course would be followed again under similar circumstances.

Baer said his delegation had met with a committee from the Vancouver local during the past few days, but no agreement could be reached. He also said the delegates had been refused the opportunity to debate the question with members of the Vancouver local.

"We had no course but to revoke the charter," he said. "We have re-organized and rechartered those members who wish to follow our constitution."

**NO MOVE MADE**  
E. A. Young, president of the Vancouver local, said no effort would be made to fight revocation of the charter.

Young said 98.5 per cent of the local members had taken part in the strike vote, and all these had been suspended at the Asbury Park convention of the association.

He said he had told Baer he would not call a meeting of his local unless all these men were reinstated, and that his request had been refused.

**Rev. J. W. Ogden Vancouver Dies**  
Preacher and Artist Succumbs at Age of 76

Canadian Press  
Vancouver, Oct. 17.—Rev. Dr. J. Williams Ogden, artist and preacher, died in a hospital here yesterday evening. He was seventy-six years old.

Dr. Ogden became ill early this month, less than a week after he had preached what was to be his last sermon. He had lived in Vancouver for the past sixteen years, having occupied practically all pulpits of United churches in the southern part of the province. He was a free-lance preacher, and acted as supply pastor for all denominations.

The English-born preacher was known widely for his artistic efforts. His large, scenic canvases and delicate illuminations hang in several churches. An illuminated roll of honor in St. Stephen's United Church here, executed by Dr. Ogden, is considered by some to be the largest work of its kind in North America.

Born in Batley, Yorkshire, he was one of the youngest graduates at Hanmoor Theological College near Sheffield, being ordained to the ministry at the age of twenty.

**Liberal Ward Officers Named**

At the annual meeting of Ward 1 Sanich Liberal Association last night H. Mayer was elected president for the ensuing year.

Other officers chosen were: Vice-president, Mrs. T. Alexander; secretary, S. Hunt; delegates to the central executive, T. Alexander and A. West; honorary presidents, Premier W. L. Mackenzie King and Premier T. D. Pattullo; honorary vice-presidents, N. W. Whittaker, M.P.P., and Alan Chambers.

An address was given by H. M. McGivern, president of the Victoria Liberal Association. He discussed the improvement of the province's financial position under the present Liberal Government, showing how careful handling of the budget had brought this about.

Mr. McGivern also referred to national mourning, saying he admired the stand taken by Premier King before the League of Nations.

**LIEUT. CHARLES DICKENS DIES**  
London, Oct. 17 (Associated Press).—Lieutenant Charles Dickens, thirty, a great-grandson of the author and an officer in the British Navy, died at sea Thursday of malaria and was buried at Gibraltar. It was announced yesterday.

**TIM BUCK CANDIDATE**  
Toronto, Oct. 17 (Canadian Press).—Tim Buck, leader of the Canadian Communist Party, was named a candidate for the Toronto board of control at a meeting yesterday evening.

# Teachers Told Of New Curriculum

Nanaimo, Oct. 17.—Speaking at the Friday afternoon session of the annual convention of the Central and Northern Island Teachers' Council here, Major H. B. King of Vancouver gave explanations of many of the problems of the new school curriculum, and, in answer to questions arising out of the junior high school section, stated that the course should be considered only as a mimeographed copy and is still open for criticism in its first year.

"The fear of examinations seems to be the main criticism," he said. "But though the tests are the object of the course, the course of study is for enjoyment, not examination. The main change in tests will be on critical thinking rather than memory work."

A general science had been added as a subject to be examined and geography and history were related as social studies, thus demanding more care in arranging examinations for pupils. The possibility of only academic teachers being hired was considered by the speaker, who stated that only sixty had achieved this status. The new course would accord backwoods schools better equipment.

F. B. Bailey of Victoria gave a helpful talk on the teaching of music in schools, illustrating the different methods used.

O. E. Apps, Cumberland, was named next year's convention chairman.

**Exchange Head To Speak Here**

H. J. Child, Chairman of Montreal Stock Group, Will Address Clubs

H. J. Child, chairman of the Montreal stock exchange, will address the men's and women's Canadian Clubs here next Tuesday in the Empress Hotel, when he will speak on "The Human Side of Business."

The men's gathering will be a luncheon, commencing at 12:15 o'clock. The women will meet at 2:45 o'clock. Miss Dorothy Parsons will be the soloist at the women's meeting, with Miss M. Daniels acting as accompanist.

The Gyro Club on Monday will mark Founder's Day, when Past President J. L. Clay, a charter member of the club, will be the speaker. The luncheon will be held in the Empress Hotel grillroom.

In place of the regular luncheon on Tuesday afternoon, the Kiwanis Club will hold a combination dinner, smoker and concert on Tuesday evening at 6:15 o'clock. The entertainment will be presented by Kiwanians.

Under the auspices of the International Service committee, the Rotary Club on Thursday will hear George J. Alexander, assistant commissioner of fisheries for the province, speak at the luncheon in the Empress Hotel. Mr. Alexander's subject will be "Canadian-American Relations." Rotarian John A. Craig will also give a short address on the "Aim and Objectives of Rotary." Another feature of the luncheon will be the presentation of the board of directors of the Queen Alexandra Solarium, of the \$1,800 cheque which represents receipts from the showing of Titan's Palace here.

The Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club will hold a supper meeting on Monday at 6:15 o'clock in the Y.W.C.A., when Rev. E. O. Robotham will speak on the work of the John Howard Society.

On Thursday evening the usual "open house" will be held at the clubrooms, Mrs. B. V. Bartholomew being one of the hostesses.

**SIFTON CASE TO PRIVY COUNCIL**

Montreal, Oct. 17.—Heirs of the late Clifford B. Sifton of Toronto were granted permission yesterday by the Quebec Court of Appeal to carry suit before the Privy Council in London contesting the successful appeal by Robert Sweeney, financier, of a Quebec Superior Court judgment maintaining demands of the Sifton estate for payment of \$53,972 for legal services.

The Sifton heirs claim Sweeney engaged Sifton in 1927, paying a retainer of \$5,000 and promising an additional \$50,000 if the Beauharnois Power Corporation scheme was approved by the Dominion Government.

When Sifton died two years later, shortly after the project became a reality, attorneys of the estate pressed for payment, but they claimed, were unable to collect. A Superior Court judgment upheld their claim, but several months ago Sweeney successfully appealed the judgment.

**Victim of Wreck Buried at Alberni**

Port Alberni, Oct. 17.—Funeral of the late Olaf Dahl, mate of the fish packer Zip, who was drowned when his vessel crashed at Bonilla Point last week, was held on Wednesday afternoon from the funeral parlors of G. Forrest, Rev. A. McLean officiating. Pallbearers were: J. Janet, J. Hoyles, H. Reid, T. Hansen, B. Gregory, M. Hansen and A. H. Rowan. A monster wreath was sent by the Fishermen's Union of Vancouver, of which deceased was a member. Dahl was fifty-four years of age, and as far as is known had no relatives in this country. He resided at a hotel in Vancouver. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Alberni.

The oldest traces of Stone Age man found in Soviet territory are stone tools buried with bones of the wolf.

# Joseph Kearns Dies in Ottawa

Man Who Played Church Organ in Gold Rush Days Succumbs at Sixty-one

Canadian Press  
Ottawa, Oct. 17.—Joseph Kearns, sixty-one, whose fingers supplied the sacred music in the Roman Catholic Church in Dawson City in the wild days of '98, died here yesterday.

One of the original "sourdoughs" of the Yukon gold rush, Kearns threw up his job in the Post Office Department years ago and followed the hard trail in company with Frank Slavin, the Australian boxer, and the late Col. Joe Boyle.

When big Alex Macdonald, "King of the Yukon," built a Roman Catholic Church in the primitive mining camp, Kearns, who had learned music from his mother, was pressed into service at the little organ.

In the place where many fortunes were won, Kearns had little luck. He failed to strike gold and his health was affected by the privations in the north. He returned to his post in the post office here, where he remained until retirement five years ago.

Dr. David A. Kearns, Ottawa, a brother, is the only near relative surviving him.

# Alberta Farmer Robbed at Home

Canadian Press  
Nobleford, Alta., Oct. 17.—Jack McLennan, an old-time farmer of this district, yesterday was robbed at the point of a revolver of approximately \$800 in cash, a \$20 gold piece and a gold chain by two masked men who ransacked his farm home, two miles east of here.

The farmer was bound and gagged and tied to a bed. The men calmly went through the place, cut the telephone wire and disabled his automobile.

Later McLennan managed to work the gag loose and called his young son to free him.

**Store Is Robbed In Vancouver**

Vancouver, Oct. 17.—For years, Sam Buch told police, he had feared a hold-up in his small grocery store. So he distributed his savings in eight different tins around the shelves.

Yesterday evening two men came into the store. One of them pointed a gun at Buch while the other bound him. Then they searched the premises. Within two hours they found every cache of money—\$30 in all—and fled. Sam locked his bonds and called for help. A neighbor notified police.

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# CHURCH GROUP PLANS SESSION

United Church Presbytery Will Hold Two-day Meeting Next Week

The United Church Presbytery of Victoria next week will hold its regular meeting in Victoria, with official business sessions commencing on Tuesday morning.

On Monday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, a celebration of the Lord's Supper will be held at First United Church, Rev. W. P. Bunt, Nanaimo, in charge. Mr. Bunt is the retiring chairman of the Presbytery.

Dean Quinlan will lead the devotional service opening the sessions in First United Church on Tuesday. The afternoon's meetings will be taken up with addresses on evangelism, under the direction of the Presbytery's committee on evangelism and social service.

Officers will also be elected Tuesday. The meeting will continue until Wednesday.

# NEW ACT CUTS FUNDS OF CHURCH

Calgary, Oct. 17.—An appeal for funds to aid a bishopric endowment and a trust fund used for the assistance in payment of rural stipends was issued here yesterday by Bishop L. Ralph Sherman of the Anglican diocese of Calgary.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the synod of Calgary, it was reported the income of the fund had been reduced by the recent Alberta government debt legislation. Moneys constituting the fund had been invested in mortgages, which are subject to the debt reduction legislation.

September 1 the fund had a book value of \$90,445. Under the new legislation, the value of the fund was reduced to \$68,421, recoverable without interest.

"The income of the fund, which has averaged approximately \$6,000 a year, will be reduced in 1937 to \$2,375.97," the finance board reported to the meeting.

# END EIGHT-YEAR HIGHWAY SURVEY

Laredo, Texas, Oct. 17.—Three Brazilian engineers reached the border here yesterday after eight years of surveying the Pan-American Highway route from their native country to the United States.

Headed by Commander Jose Oliveira, the official Brazilian mission literally had to cut its way through hundreds of miles of dense jungle. It has been estimated it will require \$100,000,000 to complete the 15,000-mile highway from the Canadian border down through Mexico and Central America to South America. It is planned to carry the highway through the United States northward to Canada.

**OPPORTUNITIES OF FARMING URGED**

Canadian Press  
Ottawa, Oct. 17.—Farming offers the best opportunities of any industry in Canada to the average man, Hon. J. G. Gardiner, Federal Minister of Agriculture, told a group of farm boys here yesterday.

"There is no place in Canada where the average man can make a more comfortable living, have greater independence, greater freedom of thought or more abundant opportunities for home life than on the farm," said Mr. Gardiner.

Young farmers should get the best education they could. Culture had a place on the farm as well as in the office, and a man was no worse as a farmer if he had a university degree.

**NASIBU DIES IN SWITZERLAND**

Davos-Platz, Switzerland, Oct. 17.—Ras Nasibu, high commander of the Ethiopian southern armies in Ethiopia's war against Italy, died yesterday in a sanatorium.

Nasibu, reports said, died of tuberculosis, induced by being gassed during the recent African campaign.

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## The Colonial Mind

**Y**ESTERDAY'S DISPATCHES FROM New Zealand told us that Viscount Elibank, president of the Federation of Chambers of Commerce of the British Empire, had, to use a colloquialism, "put his foot in it" again. He is reported to have appealed publicly, "on behalf of British financial interests," to the New Zealand Government not to enact legislation known as the Industrial Efficiency Bill. The cables of the Canadian Press and Reuters say that the visiting Briton's suggestion has "raised a storm in government circles," that Hon. D. G. Sullivan, Minister of Industry, was talking of "interference," with Prime Minister Michael Savage declaring that "we are not going to take instructions from people abroad."

The Industrial Efficiency Bill is described as a measure to establish co-operation of the state with industry, providing for the creation of an advisory bureau for industry and also for the licensing of industries in such cases as may be considered advisable. As this is written, the details of the legislation which has attracted the attention of Viscount Elibank are not available. Comment on its merits, or demerits, therefore, is out of the question. Obviously, however, it is purely a domestic matter—a matter for New Zealanders to deal with in their own interests—and, as such, it should not be a target for the barb of any outsider, no matter what "interests" he may represent many thousands of miles away.

The New Zealand "incident" brings to our mind the Canadian "incident" of a few weeks ago, when Viscount Elibank, it must be admitted, in a friendly way, discussed in a speech at Toronto Canada's policy toward defence. He did not lecture this Dominion, but—at least that is what many Old Country newspapers of varying shade of political thought say—his observations might have been kept to himself. They were not, however, so Hon. Ian MacKenzie, Canada's Minister of Defence, suggested that Lord Elibank should "adopt the principle of Canadians with respect to British affairs."

Mr. MacKenzie recalled that six Canadian ministers were in Great Britain last summer and remarked: "We attended scrupulously to our own affairs." Canada, he said, was no longer a colony, and was well equipped to arrive at her own conclusions on matters of government. The Canadian "incident," of course, is a more or less closed one. But it has emerged from the vault of the limbo as a result of the New Zealand "incident." And it would appear to us that Lord Elibank should take note of the fact that at the general elections in New Zealand last November, Prime Minister Savage captured fifty-two seats out of a House of Representatives of a membership of eighty. This ought to suggest even to the Tory mind that the New Zealanders know what they want when they go to the polls to elect the men who are to do their business for them.

Canada, like New Zealand, is able to attend to her own business without interference from those who do not understand conditions in the New World. The British Commonwealth of Nations has been, can continue to be, a happy family, understanding one another perfectly, but if the Elibanks are allowed to run around the empire and rock the family boat—look out for the "breakers."

## That One Mistake!

**I**NADVERTENTLY A WEEK OR SO ago the chief editorial writer of a widely-read London daily used the word "numismatist" instead of "philatelist." Within a day or so the journal in question was literally swamped with "letters to the editor" exuding superior knowledge.

Under the heading of "Thanks Indeed" this was what appeared afterward:

Thank you indeed, kind and learned readers, who have written to us by the score in order to correct us for writing of "numismatists" when we meant—as you know—"philatelists." We expect to be put right when we go wrong. Thank you.

Do we expect to be congratulated when we happen to be right?

We do not. We know too much. We know that, for one who acknowledges accuracy there are 10,000 who correct mistakes.

Perhaps it may be permitted to say that the editorial writer in question, as he saw the avalanche of letters coming in hourly, was beginning to think of "ballistics." But it appears he took the usual course and used the soft answer that turneth away wrath.

## Russia and Japan

**T**HE ANNOUNCEMENT THAT the general staff of the Japanese army has made plans for 2,500 miles of railways in Manchukuo and Inner Mongolia, which would enable Japanese troops to reach any point on the Russian frontier "within two or three days," tends to increase speculation as to what really are the "expansionist" plans of the Tokio militarists. The impression has been growing for some time that if Japan really has been planning a war for the conquest of Siberian Russia, she has waited too long—she has "missed the boat." A few years ago, such a campaign might have had a chance of success, many military authorities believe. But subsequently, Russian armaments in Siberia have grown to formidable proportions.

The trans-Siberian Railway has been double-tracked. In vital regions it has been paralleled over hundreds of miles by roads fit

for heavy lorry traffic. The exact size of the Siberian army is unknown, but experts are convinced it is large, even as modern armies go. Supplies of arms and food have been accumulated in quantities that would enable the Russians to exist in a state of siege for two years, it is reported, and an effort has been made to make the Siberian force independent of supplies from European Russia through the building of armament factories within the region it is commissioned to defend.

Hector C. Bywater, famous British naval authority, says that, though the Russians have no big battleships at Vladivostok, they are reported to have many submarines and motor-torpedo boats and at least 600 air-bombers. The Japanese War Office alleges that sixty submarines are in commission at Vladivostok. But this report conflicts with the estimate of the semi-official organ of the German Admiralty which places the total of Russian submarines in commission in all waters at seventy.

"If the Russian submarine flotilla in the Pacific is even half as strong as reports indicate," says Mr. Bywater, "it should be capable of rendering Japanese lines of communication with Manchukuo and Korea distinctly unsafe. From Vladivostok, Korea Strait, Japan's most vital sea artery is barely 600 miles distant and consequently within easy reach of Russia's Far Eastern submarine base. Moreover, Russian long-range bombers could operate with telling effect in the northern sector of the Sea of Japan and possibly strike directly at Hakodate and other important cities on Japan's western seaboard."

Japan's present manoeuvres in China look very much like preparations for a final, decisive campaign against that country rather than against a Siberia which appears to be so formidably armed.

## They Forget History

**I**T IS ENOUGH TO MAKE A CAT laugh to note the sort of criticism of Mr. Mackenzie King's speech in Geneva at the recent gathering of the League of Nations Assembly. All he said, boiled down to a few words, was that the Canadian Parliament reserved to itself the right to say whether or not this country would embark upon a foreign war in which Canada was not in the least interested, and for which she was not in the least responsible.

Of course, it will be remembered that a former Prime Minister of Canada, Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, in his famous Hamilton speech in 1925, insisted that before Canada entered another war he would demand a referendum of the Canadian people. But those newspapers that do not like Mr. Mackenzie King have a convenient knack of forgetting historical facts. But certain historical facts also have a knack of butting in at the wrong time—the wrong time for those who would much prefer to ignore them.

## Our Motor License Plates

**T**HERE GOES A CALIFORNIA car! one will sometimes hear a mere youngster say, as the familiar orange and black license plate comes into view. The lad may be too young to read, but he recognizes that color scheme and identifies the car. So, too, with adults, throughout the tourist season.

And that is exactly what California wants. It wants the name of the state, with all that it connotes of sunshine—as Victoria—and orange groves and movie stars, impressed upon the consciousness of as many people as possible. Wherever a California car goes, its license plate is a silent advocate for the tourist business of the state.

The figure of a cowboy on the license plate of the State of Wyoming, for example, identifies that state—impresses it upon the tourist. These distinctive emblems may be worth the attention of the authorities in this province. British Columbia might well consider license plates bearing some distinctive symbol.

Psychologically, the idea has much advertising merit. In all likelihood, the cost involved would rapidly be dwarfed by the gain to British Columbia business flowing from an increased tourist traffic.

## Perhaps Not So Fantastic

**S**IR RICHARD PAGET, AN eminent-English scientist, believes that some day there will be a universal sign language, and that a man then will be able to speak to all the races of the world simultaneously.

He maintains that an extensive vocabulary can be evolved from appropriate movements of fingers, hands and arms. Thus, hand on heart could indicate "love"; finger on brow, "wisdom," and so on.

When and if the day arrives that such world language is in general use, Canadians conversing with continental Europeans should find two gestures extremely handy: a tired shrug in answer to reports of a new international incident, and a vigorous negative shake of the head to an invitation to jump into a war on the slightest provocation.

But we doubt if any number of signs will enable Europeans to explain to people on this side of the Atlantic—and especially in Canada—why they can not get along together peaceably.

## Notes

The world's gravest danger is foolish man's willingness to fight for wrong when he is told it is right.

It is easy to recognize statesmen in Europe. They are the ones timidly trying to pacify Hitler and Mussolini.

If a city is chiefly interested in the worth of its grandfathers, it means the present generation is not doing much.

"The more we have, the more we want," is not always true. The greater our ignorance, the better we are satisfied with it.

## LOOSE ENDS

Mr. Durling finds the cooking very bad in Victoria, B.C.—And the hats battered—And the jokes, old—but he doesn't know us really—because we never really know anything—but our own little spot—and it's best that way.

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

## AS OTHERS SEE US

**F**ELLOWS WHO WRITE columns in newspapers have a nasty habit of slinking about the country and leering at everything they see. They only do it in fun, you know, in an excess of high animal spirits, but strangers, seeing what they write when they get home, never understand that. They always take it seriously and their local patriotism is outraged. I found that out long ago and now I never try to be funny about any place but Victoria, where the people have a real sense of humor.

Mr. E. V. Durling, columnist of one of the large Los Angeles papers, hasn't found that out yet. He has been sneaking through here lately and sending his eloquent sneers back home to amuse the yokels of Hollywood and suburbs. His observations about Victoria and Vancouver are really intriguing and, I dare say, mostly true. He complains about our cooking as soggy and quotes Odette as saying: "To make a nice breakfast there is no need of evoking a vision of eternal torments. Give it the ordinary English meal." After dining in Victoria, Mr. Durling agrees with Odette because his lamb kidney tasted like chopped-up, reprocessed rubber tire, stewed in a laundry.

"I just don't know," says Mr. Durling, "what they do to the food around these little bits of England in British Columbia. They can take a pair of perfectly good eggs, try them, turn them over and make them taste like a piece of blotting paper." (And Mr. Durling, I could say some bitter things about the grub in Portland, where they serve not clam nectar for breakfast.)

Yes, and in the hotels of Victoria the women sit all day and knit while the men sit all day and tell Scotch jokes. And, says Mr. Durling, as you can't drink in a public place, hotel bedrooms are full of full of whoopee. The streets are full of elderly gentlemen nodding about in plus fours, and if you want to make a typical Victorian hat, just take your grey fedora, rip off the band and let a truck run over it a few times.

## POOR VANCOUVER

**V**ANCOUVER IS WORSE. The women there buy all their husbands' meals in a delicatessen store, there is no night life and the chief delight of the pop-eyed natives is the arrival of a movie star from Hollywood.

I am glad to be able to reprint Mr. Durling's microscopic observations of our local civilization. It is good for our souls to know how we appear to outsiders, and it makes you realize, also, that your observations of any place, however accurate in detail, are almost sure to be wrong in the whole. As one of the chief offenders, I should know.

## OBVIOUS FACT

**T**HE THING which startles you most as you sweep through the country, as Mr. Durling and I have been doing lately, is a very obvious thing, and yet hard to capture in words. 'Tis the realization that most of the people of the world are living under what we would consider appalling conditions.

You start. You have heard about it all your life. Every day the papers are full of items from obscure places all over America, and in a day you know that people live in these places, spend their whole lives there and die there. But it is only when you drive through these innumerable little towns that you sense for a moment the utter monotony of the average life in North America, whether it be in Clinton, B.C., or Kelso, Wash. It is only then that you have a real sense of the meaning, crawling swarm of men who inhabit the lonely sweep of this continent.

Then, when you have come back, within a few days, you are absorbed into the tiny, self-contained, insignificant speck of civilization which is your own community and the sense of those other people, whose other lives are completely lost. You still know them as dull facts, as spots on the map, as part of the continent's geography, as date lines in the newspapers, but you don't know them as the habitat of living creatures of your own sort, with lives as happy, as miserable, as monotonous, as unimportant as your own.

## STRANGERS

**T**HUS, despite all the outside regimentation of American life, despite the fashions, architecture, movies, and machines common to every place from ocean to ocean, people are as strange to each other, except on the mere surface of things, as the black tribes of Africa. The machine has made the tribes of America all one, but it has not changed the inside of men very much. The human animal, like all other animals, likes to hunt with his own little band, to graze like a cowboy on his own range, to cower in his own cave with his friends.

In a common civilization which has become world-wide, infinitely complicated, and more delicate than any machine, people still live their lives in their own little towns and that is where their real interest lies. They are still more interested in the City Council than the League of Nations Council, in their own plot of garden than in the whole continent of Europe.

## HOME

**I**T HAS TAKEN ME only two days to relapse entirely and effortlessly into the life of Victoria, and I feel much better already, and the sense of that teeming life to the south, of those innumerable little towns where America's millions live and die, has pretty well departed.

But, despite Mr. Durling, I still feel a dull, wordless pity for all those people who will never be able to live here in Victoria who live here in like, who will probably die believing from Mr. Durling's account that Victoria is a kind of cheerful madhouse, full of senile English colonels, battered felt hats run over by trucks, and soggy cooking. You feel sorry for them, but you can't do anything about it. Probably they are happier where they are and would only pity us if, like Mr. Durling, they could see us.

## SLIPS THAT PASS IN THE TYPE

From The Literary Digest

Mr. and Mrs. — are being felicitated on the birth of a son at the Good Samaritan Hospital—Portland (Ore.) paper.

The annual Christmas party at the Ashley Street School was held yesterday afternoon—Springfield (Mass.) paper.

The motorist ran into a live wire, which blew the lights of his car, and then he sped away—Atlanta (Ga.) paper.

Boston (A.P.)—Former Governor — let go a double-barreled attack on the Roosevelt administration here last night—Rochester (N.Y.) paper.

Miss — is a boy and arrow enthusiast and hopes to make a mark for herself in the sport—Blackfoot (Idaho) paper.

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## Letters to The Editor

WANTS TO KNOW

To the Editor:—With reference to the Health Insurance Commission form which I received today, I would appreciate an explanation of the following points:

1. Working on form—the services of a physician. Does this include surgical care with regard to surgical operations?

Hoping the health board would enlighten the public on this matter at the earliest opportunity.

H. E. BROWN.  
225 Superior Street, October 16.

## SEATTLE'S ORCHESTRA

To the Editor:—Through the medium of your columns may I express my thanks for the splendid general and personal response already given me in my effort to make the forthcoming visit of Seattle's Symphony Orchestra a success.

Under its distinguished conductor, Dr. Basil Cameron, one of the foremost musicians in the whole Northwest, this orchestra has been meeting with pronounced success, and it is felt that local orchestral music will be greatly benefited in such an outstanding musical event.

Lovers of orchestral compositions and the symphony orchestra are especially gathering round, and with their continued support there is no reason why, in such a musical centre as is Victoria, the orchestra's concert will be brought to a successful culmination on November 5.

I particularly wish to publicly thank Capt. Norman Foster, a visitor from San Diego, who, thoroughly cognizant of the Seattle Orchestra's popularity at the recent San Diego Exposition, is interesting himself in behalf of its visit here.

GEORGE J. DYKE.  
435 Niagara Street, Victoria.

## TECHNOCRACY

To the Editor:—It has been very interesting to read a number of fine editorials dealing with the scientific and technological change which is taking place in the world today. Many people these days are interested in constructive information of this nature.

One sometimes wonders whether we really realize what is taking place, having so little knowledge of this highly technical and scientific world.

Into which we were swept following 1918, and are continuing to travel at an ever-increasing rate of change. The ever-increasing flow of extraneous energy not only forces society to expect constant change, but is making ridiculous the attempts of politicians and financiers to control this modern Power Age, of which they know so little.

We become increasingly dependent upon a small group of people, perhaps less than 1 per cent, which Volen in his book "The Engineers and the Price System" calls "production engineers" or "technological experts," who have built this wonderful social structure—increasingly complicated.

Anyone who is interested in the changing conditions of today should not fail to hear Mr. J. F. Glendon when he is in Victoria. He will be speaking at the Chamber of Commerce, Monday, October 26; his subject, "Technocracy's Debut." He is now completing a 6,000-mile speaking tour.

O. CORBETT.  
1200 Hampshire Road.

## MONEY AND COMMODITIES

To the Editor:—In a series of articles in The Financial Post, which have been reprinted in pamphlet form, Mr. Norman Angell exposes some of the current delusions about money and protection. Here is a sample:

"The older form of the doctrine (mercantilism) was a less dangerous fallacy, in that its adherents expressed it in a theory which could be examined and refuted. In our day we no longer formulate the theory, but go on acting as though the theory were sound, as when we told Germany after the war that she must pay the whole cost of the war, but she must be allowed to increase her exports so as to compete with the United States, and no one seemed to see that."

## SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark



"Tell that old son-of-a-gun hello for me, too!"

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C. R. I.

By AUDREY ALEXANDRA BROWN

C. R. I. — Common Respiratory Infection—"In short, my dear David," as Mr. Mawber might have remarked, but apparently didn't—"the Common Cold."

We all know what there is to know about it, which includes practically everything but what it is and how to avoid it. We've each been through it many times before in our lives, and the longer we live the oftener we'll go through it again. There's no favoritism about the Common Cold; everyone of us knows it from the sniffing stage to the wheezing stage, straight through the intermediate stage where you keep swallowing to see if your throat's still as sore and find that it is possible it's even sorer.

"I've got a cold," I said disconsolately to anyone who would listen. I was at the stage mentioned above, so I probably sounded very disconsolate indeed.

"You're lucky," remarked Elizabeth, frankly. "It's very fashionable just now, having a cold."

This article has nothing else to do with Elizabeth, but I can't help pausing here to say more about her. Our boarding-house is full of unusual people, but Elizabeth is the most unusually unusual of the lot of us. She is a Vancouver girl, dark and slim and very attractive, with satiny hair and transparent deep-brown eyes and definite eyebrows. And she has so much character that she might sit in a roomful of chattering people and never open her lips, yet no one would for an instant forget she was there. This is more than talent—it's absolute genius. (And if ever you've

met her you'll know who I mean, even though her real name is nothing like Elizabeth.)

However, this article is not about Elizabeth, but about my cold, which I carried to Miss Pears, the house secretary, who appreciated it. She put me to bed and brought me a sky-blue hot-water bottle to cuddle—a really boiling one. And the blinds being partly drawn, and the room full of the sound of rain, I could put my covers up and treat that cold as a luxury instead of an affliction.

This is the way it's done: you lie flat and still and think of the countries nearer the Equator. Mexico, tawny and shimmering under the sun, with its little bright-colored houses of pink or cream-colored adobe, and a dark-eyed girl going marketing in a crimson shawl patterned with golden roses, and three men riding by on white horses with silver bells on their bridles. Australia after the rains, with the wattle breaking into blossom. The spice

isles of Greater and Lesser Banda, where the cinnamon trees grow. A black canoe drifting down an African river whose water runs still as glass and darkens to purple in the shadow where a young leopard stealthily pads the reeds and scoops his spotted head to . . . stoops his spotted . . . stoops . . .

If you have got this far, you don't get any further. You forget the cotton-wool in your head and the way your throat feels when you swallow. You are in a warmer and lovelier country than Mexico or Australia or Africa, and the sliding waters carry you deeper and deeper into your dream.

## Coronation Oaks

From a London Correspondent

**A** CHAIN of trees from Land's End to John o' Groats the latest idea to commemorate the coronation.

Groups of trees starting in the extreme southwest corner of the Royal Duchy of Cornwall would link country to county all over Great Britain. Every group would be within sight of the next and would consist of nine trees. A single oak would represent the King and the eight other trees would show that he was Edward VIII.

The suggestion comes from the "Men of the Trees" guardians of Britain's forests and woods.

Mr. Richard St. Barbe Baker, founder of the guardians, hopes that local authorities will make themselves responsible for planting the saplings and taking care of them. He says that local conditions will have to be studied for the most suitable types of trees. He suggests wild cherry, mountain ash, chestnut, beech, sycamore and walnut.

## MODERN PROVERB

From World Digest

Call a Rose by any other name and you will probably be divorced.

## LARGE STORM

By Margaret Wildmer

White wind  
Ruffle the water!  
Dip its blackness  
High in your hand!  
Push the canoes  
Deep and dipping  
Splash the rowboats  
Hard on the sand!

White wind,  
Shake by the shoulders  
Angry hemlock,  
Furious oak,  
Whip the berries  
Down the rowan  
Make the fern crouch  
Under your stroke!

White wind  
Hurl your rain-sheet!  
Beat the red leaves  
Down to leaf mold!  
Cleanse the sloe lake,  
Strip the forest;  
The year was decaying  
The year was old.

—Portal.

Safety First

O'Doyle: "See that notice over there. 'Tourist traps on a mountain.'"

O'Boyle: "Well, all I can say is he should have looked where he was going."

Legal Questions

The service supplied by this department is free to readers of The Times. Space does not permit the publication here of the answer to every question sent in, but all questions will be personally replied to by mail if accompanied with a 3-cent stamp. All communications will be treated as confidential.

Question: If a person is appointed as an executor under a will is he bound to obtain probate of the will?

Answer: There is no legal obligation upon him to accept the office of executor.

Parallel Thoughts

Cast not away therefore your confidence, which hath great recompense of reward.—Hebrews x, 35.

They conquer who believe they can.—Dryden.



## Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—I am an average man of thirty-eight and have a splendid wife with whom I have got along well until now. I have always told my wife everything, even the secrets in our men's meetings which I am supposed not to tell. Recently I went to see two pictures for men only. I told her where I was going and when I came home I told her all about it, and she has never been the same since. She will hardly speak to me. As long as I am innocent of stepping out on my wife, and continue to make her a living, should I tell her when I am going to see these pictures or should I not tell her? MR. X.



Answer—If you are going to see obscene pictures I should certainly think you would put on a false beard and an impenetrable disguise and sneak in the back way under cover of darkness and never tell anybody about how you have gratified your low taste. Certainly you should spare your wife the knowledge that she is married to a man with that kind of a filthy mind.

The question of how much a husband and wife should tell each other is one concerning which there are two schools of thought. One holds that a married couple should have no secret from each other; that they should tell each other everything that has ever happened to them in the past, everything that they do and think, no matter if what they tell is going to make the other party unhappy, bring on ructions and arouse baseless suspicions or not.

The other school of thought contends that every human being has a right to some privacy of thought and some freedom of action even if he or she is married; that husbands and wives are not obligated to give each other a daily report of everything they do and hear and see. I side with this latter point of view. I can see no good that is accomplished by husbands and wives telling each other things that they have done, and which cannot be changed, and which will make the other miserable. This applies to the confessions so many young married couples make to each other. They bare all the secrets of the past. They tell of sins they have committed or indiscretions of which they have been guilty, and even of foolish little light love affairs that amounted to nothing. They ask and expect to be forgiven, and feel somehow that they have made a noble gesture and that because they have told everything that they are starting out their marriage in a way that will secure their happiness.

But nine times out of ten what they have done is to undermine the securities of their marriages by wrecking the ideal each had of the other and by implanting the seeds of jealousy and suspicion. The bride is horrified to find out that her noble hero is a libertine. The bridegroom has his faith in the bride he believed pure and innocent killed by discovering that she has wandered from the straight and narrow path, and both are left to wonder as long as they live about those boy and girl sweethearts and to throw them in each other's teeth whenever they have a spat.

Of course, there is always a temptation to confess and lay the burden of your wrongdoing on someone else's shoulder and make them help you carry it. Also we are prone to thresh over the old straw of our mistakes with anyone who will listen to our garrulousness, but it is a mistake to do it. Let the dead past bury its dead and forget it. Especially when you are married.

Of course, there are naturally millions of things that husbands and wives have to talk over and want to talk over, but this should not include telling each other the things that will make them unhappy. Lots of marriages are talked to death.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—Can't something be done to stop girls from going around the streets and to the stores and driving in cars with almost no clothes on, and looking as if they had just escaped from a nudist colony or a side show of freaks? If the girls themselves are totally lacking in modesty and have no sense of decency or propriety, at least the general public should be protected from having to witness the shameful spectacle. OLD MRS. BELL.

Answer—I agree with you, Madam, that a woman clothed only in shorts and a handkerchief is hard on the eyes and "shattering" to the nerves of the beholder and makes us long for the good old days when the police ran their lines into the house.

It has been said that modesty is a matter of geography and that the South Sea Island belle clothed only in a string of beads is as conventionally dressed as grandma was when she had on seven petticoats and high-necked and long-sleeved red-fannel underwear. So let that view of the matter ride.

What concerns us all is the esthetic side of the subject. We are bound to admit that, as Mr. Omar Khayyam remarked, the hand of the potter shook when constructing most female legs, and that they are not exhibition pieces. The least seen of them the better for their owner and for the happiness of the enforced observer. Thus the display of limbs that look as if they had just strolled out of a Kansas City or Chicago packing house or had been rescued from the bone yard or that cried out for the attention of an orthopedic surgeon is an offence unforgivable against both good morals and good taste.

Nothing but superhuman vanity and a lack of a sense of humor could induce any girl to appear in public in shorts. If she had any idea of how funny she looks and of the ribald comments she inspires, wild horses couldn't drag her into a pair of the things.

Of course, nothing is going to stop the dear creatures from wearing what they want to wear, but one thing I urge on every girl: before she goes into shorts let her get the candid opinion of her cattiest friend on her underpinning. Have a heart, girls, and save us from having to look at so many knock-knees and bowed legs.

DEAR MISS DIX—I am twenty-three years of age, married and a father of two children. I am happily married and am crazy about my wife and babies, but in spite of this, I am attracted by beautiful women and desire to have dates with them. I flirt more or less, yet I know I love my wife. What do you have to say? SHANGHAI.

Answer—Merely that you are like a lot of other men. You are polygamous by nature. You should have a grand sheik and had a harem instead of a clerk in a one-woman bungalow. But don't forget that in running after many women you will lose the one woman who really loves you. DOROTHY DIX.

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## Your Baby And Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

IF YOUR BABY IS NOT GAINING, MAKE SURE HE IS BEING WELL NOURISHED

Mothers are inclined to look long and earnestly for distant reasons for a child's undernourished condition. Instead of hunting for them right under their noses. Babies persist in gaining if they get enough to eat and the food is suited to their needs.

Erupting teeth, illness and temporary discomforts may affect their immediate appetite, but all babies suffer the same handicaps to their gain. The difference, then, between those who continue to gain and those who remain thin, is a matter of food.

**BABY LOSES WEIGHT**  
Mrs. L. L. C. writes: "I would like to have my baby gain weight. She is five months old and weighs only ten pounds and fourteen ounces, though she once weighed over eleven pounds. She is nursed six times daily (I have more than enough milk for twenty minutes at each feeding). She is badly constipated and her stools are slimy and green. She has a movement every forty-eight hours, but only when I use a suppository, paper.

She is bright and cheerful but sucks her thumb continually."

**THUMB IS NOT NOURISHING**

A thumb is a poor substitute for food and it is a tribute to her disposition that she can be hungry and still remain bright and cheerful. The stools are the familiar type called "starvation stools," and the baby is getting none of the additional foods which five months old children should enjoy.

In the face of this very clear-cut case of malnutrition it seems folly to assert that you have plenty of milk. It simply could not be, or the baby's weight would indicate it.

**FEED BABY SOLIDS**

Start your baby's improvement by giving a regular complementary feeding after each nursing. Begin the additional solid food suitable for a five months old child at once. The nursings should be spaced four hours apart, which will be sufficient when the baby's whole diet is improved. Very shortly you'll find that you can dispense first with one, then the other night feeding. The constipation will take care of itself when the fastness have some refuse to secrete. I feel sure you'll find this all true when you offer that baby more to eat.

To guide you in re-planning your baby's diet, I shall be glad to send you our leaflet, "Feeding From Two to Nine Months," which you may have for only a self-addressed and 3c stamped envelope sent to Myrtle Meyer Eldred, care of the Your Baby and Mine department of this newspaper.



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**Knitcraft Tea**  
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The Knitcraft tea to be held under the auspices of the H.M.S. Resolution Chapter of the I.O.E. on Saturday afternoon, October 24, at the Y.W.C.A., Blanshard Street, from 3 until 6 o'clock promises to be one of the most novel and interesting affairs of the season.

Cash prizes will be awarded in each of three classes: For the best hand-knit lady's suit, \$5; for the best hand-knit child's dress, \$5; and for the best hand-knit child's costume, \$2. All entries must be modeled by the competitors, and the tea and admission ticket will admit the holder to the competition. Judging will begin promptly at 5 o'clock.

An interesting musical programme has been arranged for the tea hour, when Mrs. F. G. Aldous and Mrs. David B. Keir will sing. During the afternoon there will be an exhibit of the latest yarns and novelty wools from the leading departmental and specialty shops.

St. John's W.A.—A rummage sale will be held in St. John's schoolroom on Tuesday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock under the auspices of the W.A.

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## Many Guests At Smart Wedding

Miss Rosalind Young Becomes Bride Of Mr. Alfred Watts

## Albert Creitz Will Play Here

Albert Creitz, the distinguished violinist who will appear at the Empire Theatre in concert on Wednesday evening, has been associate concert master of the Portland Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Willem Van Hoogstraten for a number of years. He will be presented in Victoria by the National Institute of Music and Arts, together with Mrs. Cathleen Burdon-Murphy and Mr. Brian Burdon-Murphy.

His first appearance here has been designed to encourage and stimulate the interest of Victoria's young students. The evening concert will be held at 8.30 o'clock.

## Mooseheart Day To Be Observed

Victoria Chapter No. 25 Women of the Moose held a business meeting in the K. of P. Hall, 1415 Broad Street, on Wednesday night, with Senior Regent P. Huchkin presiding.

At an interesting report was read by Mrs. H. Parker, recorder, of recent northwest Moose conference held at Spokane.

The audit report was given by Miss D. Guelph, for which she and auditors were thanked. Nanaimo chapter are unable to be guests at the meeting of November 9, but plans will be made for a visit in the spring.

Thanks were extended to Past Regent A. Hatcher and committee for the splendid report testifying to many activities during the past month.

A committee meeting held recently at the home of Mrs. M. Carter, 1017 Pandora Avenue, final plans were made for celebrating the twenty-third anniversary of Mooseheart Day, on Sunday, October 25.

In conjunction with Local Order of Moose No. 1390, a church service will be held at the First United Church, Officers will wear white and regalia, all members to meet outside church at 7 p.m. On Monday, October 26, a bazaar will be held at 2.30 p.m.

There will be various stalls and afternoon tea will be served, also light supper, followed by a carnival dance at 9 p.m., with a 500 card party for non-dancers.

A Halloween party will be held on Thursday evening, October 29, at the home of Miss D. Guelph, 2540 Fernwood Road. Maple Leaf Legion No. 53 will hold their next whist drive at the home of G. Hines, 2412 Estevan Road, on Friday, October 23.

A hearty vote of thanks was given to Past Regent E. Jane for the showery held at her home. A drill practice will be held Wednesday night, October 21, in the hall, at 7.30 o'clock. Owing to the bazaar, the social night is canceled, Monday, November 9, will be business night.

## Operation To Let Baby Cry

Pittsburgh, Oct. 17.—A mother hoped today would surgically let her baby to cry—maybe to talk in later years.

The surgeons were called on by Mrs. Otto Grego, of suburban Millvale, who said:

"Eugene was a wonderful baby from birth, but I felt sort of funny about his not crying."

An examination revealed a growth in nine-month-old Eugene's larynx made it impossible for him to cry. A series of operations began. Little by little surgeons are removing the obstruction. Eugene, they say, soon may be able to make a healthy rumble if he wishes.

But his mother says: "I don't think he would cry much anyway, because he has such a sunny disposition."

Langford Legion W.A.—The next general meeting of Women's Auxiliary, Prince Edward Branch Canadian Legion No. 91, will be held at the Club House, Island Highway, Langford, on Monday, October 17, at 8.30 o'clock. A joint meeting of the W.A. and the parent branch will be held in the clubrooms. The president, Rev. A. M. Acheson-Lyle, will address the meeting on his trip to Vimy. Refreshments will be served.

## Convening Floral Tea



Miss Reta Milligan, who is convenor of the chrysanthemum tea which the Cathedral A.Y.P.A. will hold in the Memorial Hall on Wednesday afternoon, October 28. Reservations may be made with her at E 2892 or with Miss May Phillips, E 2260.

## Society

Friends of Miss Dorcas Williams of 419 John Street, will regret to learn she is ill in the Jubilee Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Temple and daughter, Cecil Dorothea, have returned to their home, "Twin Alders," Langford Lake, after spending the past four months touring the southern States and eastern Canada.

Miss Helen Harris has returned to Princeton, B.C., to resume her duties on the teaching staff of the public school after spending a few days in Victoria with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Harris, Port Street.

Mrs. Margaret Nicol of "Auchmount," Esquimalt, announces the engagement of her niece, Mary Nicol, to Sidney Charles Babey, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Babey, Victoria. The wedding will take place the end of October.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Palmer, Island Highway, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Olive Bernice, to Mr. Charles Middleton Crawford, younger son of Mr. I. Crawford, England, and the late Mr. C. Middleton. The wedding will take place on October 26.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Irvine, 2103 Fernwood Road, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Edna, to Clarence A. Jaffray, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Jaffray, 51 Cadillac Avenue. The wedding will take place quietly in the early part of November.

A former student of British Columbia girl, Alice Walker, now Mrs. McNab, has inherited famous Dunvegan Castle on the Isle of Skye. With her husband she sailed October 9 from England and will arrive in Vancouver on a visit for the first week in November, later going on to Honolulu. A cousin of Canada's Minister to Japan, Hon. Randolph Bruce, Mrs. McNab lived at Dunvegan, B.C., before her marriage. She is a granddaughter of the late Mr. John Walker of the London Times, her father having been connected with The Times Paris edition.

Miss Peggy McDonald, whose marriage to Mr. Arthur Rudge will take place on November 2, was the guest of honor when Mrs. D. McDowell and Mrs. D. Cameron entertained with a miscellaneous shower on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Cameron, 1420 Denman Street. The gifts were hidden inside a decorated basket, which was carried into the room by two little girls, Shirley Essler and Betty Cuth, dressed in yellow and blue frocks. Pink and green were the colors used on the supper table, chrysanthemums and Michaelmas daisies forming a graceful centerpiece, with a miniature bride and groom holding a plate of honor. Court whist was played and first prize was won by Miss Dorothy Baker and consolation by Mrs. G. Baker. In the guessing contest, Mrs. L. Gower was first and Mrs. J. White received the consolation prize. The guests were Mesdames J. McLeod, M. McLean, J. White, J. Lyons, J. McKinnon, McDonald, A. Bruce, R. C. Mackay, L. Gower, W. Elliott, Liddle, E. E. McQueen, K. M. Miller, Whitcomb, T. K. Anderson, J. G. Burnett, G. Baker, D. Essler, Hugh Kelly, A. H. O. Phillips, H. Paver, Storey, E. Cuth, L. E. Cuth, G. E. Kirk, Misses Vera Pindler, Mary Gourlay, R. Anderson and Dorothy Baker.

W.B.A. Review.—The semi-monthly meeting of Queen Alexandra Review No. 1 W.B.A. will be held on Monday evening, October 19, in the Foresters' Hall, Cormorant Street, at 7.30 o'clock sharp. Final arrangements for the banquet and entertainment of Mrs. Mary Baird, Dominion supervisor, will be made. All officers and guards are asked to be present on account of this for a practice of the initiation service. After the business period, court whist and bridge will be played, with the social committee in charge. This will inaugurate a series of card parties for the winter season.

## Nurse Bride Of Doctor Today

Miss Frances Salmon Married To Dr. David B. Ryall

At St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill, at 2.45 o'clock this afternoon a marriage was quietly solemnized when Rev. S. Ryall, father of the bridegroom, united in the holy bonds of matrimony Frances E., younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Salmon of 1925 Foul Bay Road, and Dr. David B. Ryall, second son of Rev. S. Ryall and Mrs. Ryall of Cedar Hill Cross Road.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a smart tulle gown of navy blue tulle. Bands of navy blue tulle were effectively used in trimming the tulle, while the mandarin collar of the white tulle was adorned with a small white, blue and white bow in front, fastening over a white vest. The long full sleeves were confined to the wrists with bands of tulle, and to complete her attire she wore a navy blue mandarin hat and a corsage bouquet of gardenias.

As attendant she had her little niece, Yvonne Rose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Rose, Oak Bay, in a dainty frock of flowered peach silk and carrying a colonial bouquet. Dr. N. B. Hall of Campbell River supported the bridegroom.

Following the marriage service, a reception at which only relatives of the contracting parties and a few intimate friends were present, was held at the home of the bride's parents, where the guests were welcomed by Mrs. Salmon and Mrs. Ryall.

Dr. and Mrs. Ryall left later on the Empress of Canada for Honolulu, and will return to Victoria in a few weeks' time on the Empress of Japan. For traveling the bride donned a swaggy muumuk costume.

They will make their home at Alert Bay, where Dr. Ryall is superintendent of St. George's Hospital of the Columbia Coast Mission, and where for the last nine months the bride, who is a graduate of the 1934 class of the training school for nurses, St. Joseph's Hospital, has been matron.

Dr. and Mrs. N. B. Hall of Campbell River were the only out-of-town guests at the wedding.

## Nuptials Are Performed At Home

Miss Janet Stewart And Mr. D. Davidson Of Hongkong Wed

This afternoon at 2 o'clock a pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wallace, 44 Lewis Street, when their niece, Miss Janet Stewart, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Stewart, became the bride of Mr. Donald Davidson of Hongkong, only son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. E. Davidson of 1227 Oscar Street, Victoria. Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson performed the service in the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends.

The ceremony was held in the drawing-room of the home which was gay with autumn flowers, and the bride wore a smart gown of turquoise blue silk, fashioned on princess lines with a short train. With this 'was worn a jacket of the lace made with Elizabethan collar and full leg of mutton sleeves, ending in points over the wrists. She wore a small blue hat of velvet to match, and carried a bouquet of pink and white roses.

As attendant she had Miss Elma Innes, who wore a frock of pink silk lace, with an off-the-face hat of lace to match, and carried a sheaf of pink carnations.

The bridegroom was supported by Mr. Bryce Stewart, brother of the bride.

At the conclusion of the marriage service, a small reception was held, when Mrs. Wallace, Miss J. Allan and Mrs. A. W. E. Davidson welcomed the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Davidson left on the afternoon boat for Seattle, the bride traveling in a three-piece brown tweed suit with other accessories in brown.

They will sail from Victoria on October 31 on the Empress of Russia for Hongkong, where the bridegroom is on the engineering staff of Butterfield and Swire.

Among the out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mrs. J. W. Taylor of Vancouver, Miss Barbara Taylor of Vancouver and Miss Mary Smith of Vancouver.

arm of Mrs. V. Bryant, followed by the guest. Games and cards were enjoyed, the winners being Beatrice Sullivan, P. Norton and Mrs. P. Smith. Two solos were sung by little Dorothy Smith and Donald French, after which a buffet supper was served. The invited guests were: Mrs. D. Smith, Mrs. P. Sullivan, Mrs. G. Cowan, Mrs. V. Bryant, Mrs. K. Arden, Mrs. T. Hansen, Mrs. E. Hancock, Mrs. V. Rowe, Mrs. P. Norton, Mrs. M. French, the Misses Helen Smith, Muriel Strong, Beatrice Sullivan, Bernice Cairns, Lily Bennett, Florence Norton, Helen Neil and Dorothy Smith, and Mrs. B. Ormrod.

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## To Visit W.B.A. News of Clubwomen



MRS. MARY BAIRD

St. Joseph's Alumnae.—The regular monthly meeting of St. Joseph's Hospital Alumnae will be held on Tuesday evening, October 20, at 8 p.m. at the Nurses' Home, following which there will be a social hour. Members are particularly asked to make an effort to be present.

Veterans W.A.—The monthly meeting of the W.A. to the Army and Navy veterans will be held on Tuesday evening, October 20, at 8 o'clock, in the auditorium. A bridge and court whist drive will be held on Thursday, October 22, at 2.45 o'clock. Good prizes will be given and refreshments served.

First United W.M.S.—A thanksgiving meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society will be held Monday afternoon, October 19, at 2.45 o'clock in the church hall, Rev. Richmond Craig has kindly consented to bring a message, while Mrs. W. H. Wilson and Miss Marion Mitchell will contribute vocal selections. Tea will be served. It is hoped all ladies of the congregation will accept this notice as an invitation to be present.

Native Daughters.—The monthly meeting of the Native Daughters of B.C. Post No. 3 was held on Wednesday evening in the Knights of Pythias Hall, Broad Street, with a good attendance of members, and the chief factor, Miss Jean Lorimer, presiding. Miss E. Neelands reported on the Historical Society's annual meeting; Mrs. A. Roach gave an account of the Local Council of Women; Miss B. Hawkins told of the meeting held at Miss S. Spencer's of the Society for the Preservation of Native Plants of British Columbia. Various items of business and welfare work were dealt with. The attendance prize was won by Mrs. Campbell. The next meeting of the society will be a social evening to be held on October 28. The entertainment committee will have charge of the evening and the social committee will be Miss E. Neelands, Mrs. A. Kinsman and Miss Jean Lorimer. The next business meeting of the post will be held on Wednesday, November 11, in the Knights of Pythias Hall.

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## BEGIN HERE TODAY

KAY DUNN, pretty young nurse, applies for a job as stewardess on the trans-Pacific flight. She is interviewed by the airline company and is accepted for a trial period. Two other girls, DORIS LEE and ALICE MILLER, are accepted on the same basis.

Graham, who flies the trans-Pacific route, goes to San Francisco and as he waves good-bye Kay wonders when and where she will see him again.

The three girls begin their preliminary training. Kay is first assigned to a trial period. After completing the other two by announcing her marriage to Chuck Jones, a pilot.

Kay learns she has been assigned to the western division and is to leave next day for the Pacific coast.

## NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

KAY'S first run on the Overland Airways route was from Reno to San Francisco Bay. The home port was Reno, in the pleasant green valley of the Washoe river—a veritable oasis in the midst of the Nevada desert.

"Kay was lonely there, terribly alone. Her early lessons in self-discipline served her well. She tried to organize her life around her job. During the day there was a four-hour run to the Oakland Airport and a four-hour return. Sometimes, when the shift changed, she spent the night on the bay. But in Reno, where most of her leisure hours were spent, she rented a little furnished apartment.

She did not meet Ted Graham, as she had so fondly hoped to do. She read about him in the newspapers and followed the routine of the trans-Pacific flight, day by day, eastbound, westbound.

She knew Ted's approximate position every day of the week—Honolulu, Midway, Guam, Manila. But on the day when he was in port, at Ship Harbor, he usually went to his ranch in the San Carlos Valley to rest. Between such rest periods he was away from the home port for three weeks at a time. Kay had never been on the bay when his ship came in.

As the weeks passed she became increasingly absorbed in her work. She felt like a veteran now. At first she had missed the bustling activity of the Central Airport. At the flying field in Reno there were not nearly as many planes coming and going and as many local passenger traffic was not heavy.

Kay usually drove out to the airport with the pilot who was taking the plane down to the Pacific. It was a long drive, leaving "The Biggest Little City in the World" behind and following a paved highway through green fields that had been salvaged from the desert. In the distance were the snow-capped peaks of the Sierra Nevada range.

The westbound plane appeared first as a tiny speck on the horizon. It always reminded Kay of her first trip by air through the vast spaces of the west.

But those vast spaces only increased her feeling of loneliness. She began to feel a nostalgia for the friends she had left behind; the scenes that had been familiar since her childhood—Kay needed the warmth of human sympathy. There were times when she would find her-

self face down on her bed and lie there, very quiet, for hours at a time. One night she let the tears come, and sobbed out this feeling of loneliness and desertion.

Then she read in a newspaper that Ted Graham's ship was due in San Francisco the next day. Again, deep in her heart, Kay felt a kindling of hope. If she could only see him again!

The two-room apartment, with its chintz trimmings, seemed intolerably lonely. Kay got up on an evening, and flung a cloak over her arms. The night was cool, as were all nights at this altitude.

Her adventurous spirit was stirring. She took a taxi and rode to the Marlip Dude Ranch which she knew was a rendezvous for members of the air corps. If there were any aviation figures in town, she would find them here.

But, at first glance, Kay saw no one she knew. She sat down at the roulette table and bought some counters. She had no idea how the wheel operated, but she was game for anything tonight.

She lost one stack of chips and bought another. She was placing a counter on the red marker when a hand caught her elbow and eased it gently back.

"Play ten green," a voice said and then she heard a gay laugh. Kay turned and saw a man standing before her, a handsome youth of about twenty-eight. He had dark brown hair and blue eyes.

He had also, Kay noted, had several cocktails. She did not recognize him, but his face was tanned with the leathery sort of tan by which one comes to recognize a man as an inveterate flyer. Perhaps she had met him somewhere. There was no denying, either, that he had a gay, impudent smile that intrigued her!

She smiled, but played the red again and lost. Number ten green won and the young man who was still standing beside her laughed.

"Try ten green again," he said, and she put her money on the red. When the green won again she stood up to go, smiling a little ruefully.

"Oh, wait—please!" he begged. Then he showed some money down on the table. "The lady plays number ten green."

Kay hesitated. There were so many people standing around, talking and playing that this encounter seemed quite harmless. And then the red won!

"See?" the young man said. "You wouldn't take my advice when it was right. But if I were you, right now, I'd come and have a drink at the bar with me."

She shook her head, declining, and turned to move away.

But the young man was not to be so easily discouraged. "Please don't go," he said. "If you won't have a drink, at least stay and talk to me. I'm Monte Blaine. I don't know who you are, but you certainly have the most gorgeous hair I've ever seen—and the most beautiful eyes. In that black evening dress you're—"

"Kay laughed. "You're had too many drinks," she said.

He denied this. "I'm intoxicated with your beauty," he said. "Who are you?"

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you anyhow? I want to know all about you."

"Just another girl," Kay told him. "I haven't a name—or a telephone."

"No cosy little nest?" he asked, wrinkling his eyebrows.

"No, I live in a castle with lions guarding every gate."

He said suddenly, "Don't you like to do rash, impulsive things? Don't you ever get up to look at the sunrise and want to go flying out to meet it? I guess you know now that I'm a flyer. Monte Blaine."

"I've heard the name twice, but I can't seem to recall it."

"You haven't heard about Monte Blaine and his eight non-stop speed records? I adore you," he said. "Come on, let's dance."

Kay looked at him doubtfully. It was obvious that he had been drinking. "I don't think you can dance," she said.

"Listen, I'm so steady they're going to use me on the trans-Pacific flight to test the gyro-pilot!"

"Oh—"

"Sure, I signed up last week and I'm on my way to Oakland by plane. Stopped over in this oasis to celebrate. You know who my boss is going to be? Ted Graham!"

Kay laughed softly. "It's a smaller world than I thought. I've been working for Overland Airways."

He said, "Really? I thought you had that look in your eye—that far-away look. You're one of the air hostesses, aren't you?"

"Right."

"Then we'll go out," he announced, "and paint the town red. Here you are, marooned in the desert, and I'm going to rescue you!"

She said, "You're one of the devil-may-care pilots."

Monte got unexpectedly to his feet and helped Kay into her cloak. They went out and got into a taxi which whirled them out into the cool desert air.

Kay leaned back in the seat. Monte made a clumsy attempt to kiss her, but he was too awkward. The high altitude and cocktails had drunk didn't mix. So she slumped in the seat at his side.

"Where is your hotel?" she asked.

He murmured dreamily, "Haven't got any. I live under the stars. I'm all alone in the world. I'm an angel."

Kay leaned forward and gave an address to the driver. Then she sat back and waited until the taxi pulled up in front of her apartment house. With the driver's aid she got Monte up one flight of stairs into her little apartment.

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In repose he was little more than a handsome, swashbuckling boy. She turned out the light then and tiptoed into the bedroom, locking the door behind her. The morning looking thoughtfully into the mirror. "It's against the world," she thought, "and he's going to be working for Ted Graham."

Again she remembered the light in Ted Graham's blue eyes and wondered when and where she might see him next.

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## TONIGHT

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8:30-Handwriting 7:30-Serenade  
8:30-Supper Dance 8:30-Symphony  
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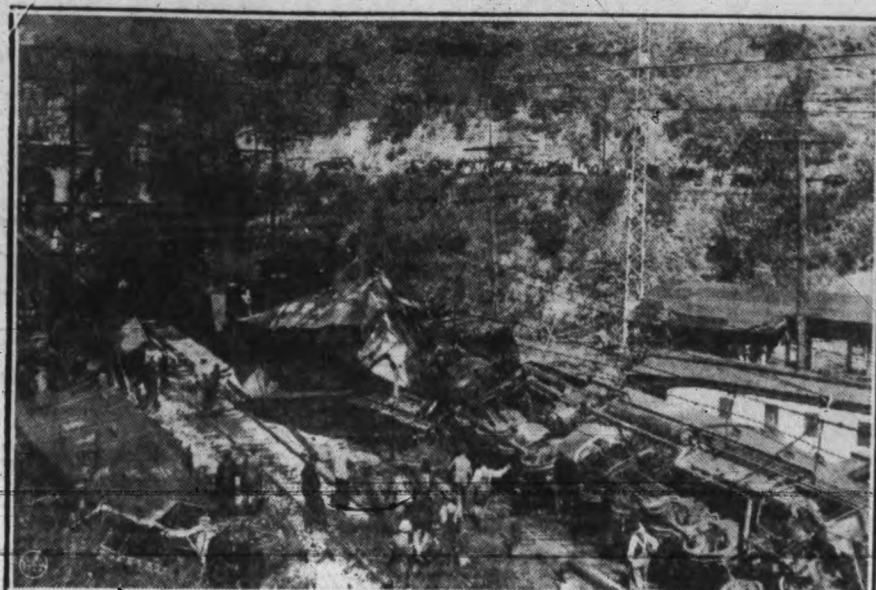
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# PERSONS AND EVENTS IN THE NEWS

## \$100,000 Wreck Damage—Just for a Thrill



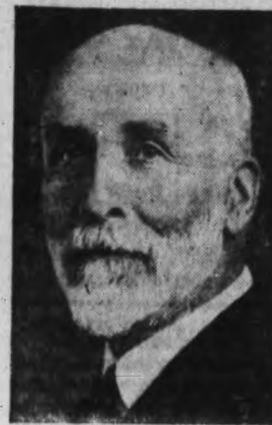
This tangled mass of wreckage, representing \$100,000 damage, was the result of the derailment of two trains when they hit spikes placed on the rails at Welch, W. Va., by a fourteen-year-old boy who "liked to see the engines hit the spikes." One passenger locomotive and a freight locomotive and fourteen cars were wrecked, delaying traffic twenty-four hours. Juvenile authorities were considering the case of the youth who caused the mishap.

## Death, Ruin in Truck-bridge Crash



Tremendous havoc wrought by a runaway truck is vividly pictured here, with death and ruin the toll of a mad plunge around a curve and down a steep hill. The driver, Earl T. Megson, forty, Buffalo, N.Y., lost control of his truck, loaded with several tons of scrap metal, as it sped toward the Cattaraugus Creek bridge at Springville, N.Y. The vehicle smashed into the abutment of the 150-foot steel span and catapulted into the stream, being crushed beneath the collapsing bridge. The driver was killed and his helper, hurled through the cab roof, badly hurt. The arrow shows wrecked truck.

## Missionary Dead



Rev. Dr. Jonathan Goforth, who spent nearly half a century in foreign mission-fields for the Presbyterian Church, died recently in Wallaceburg, Ontario.

## Stars of \$12,000 Welcome



Planes soaring overhead, tugs footling on the water below, Joan Blondell and Dick Powell stand at the rail of their honeymoon barge to take in the ear-splitting welcome home arranged, at a cost of \$12,000, by their Hollywood employers, to signalize their return to New York from a wedding cruise.

## Colorful Scene in an English Town



Received at the district boundary by the Charter Mayor, Mayor John E. Hill, the High Sheriff of Surrey and the civic party, the Lord Mayor of London, Sir Percy Vincent, drove in his state coach through the streets of Malden, Surrey, England, to present the Royal Charter of Incorporation to the new borough of Malden and Coombe recently. Our picture shows the Lord Mayor's procession through Malden.

## Napoleon's Gems for Texas Beauty



Miss Faye Cotton, above, can describe how it feels to wear the \$300,000 crown jewels which Napoleon Bonaparte gave his second wife, Empress Marie Louise, at the birth of their son in 1811. Miss Cotton, Texas sweetheart, tried on the jewelry at the Fort Worth Frontier centennial, where she is appearing in a revue. She is one of the few women who have worn the jewels, which are in this country for display.

## Gets First Ticket



First passenger to buy a ticket for the initial Pacific passenger flight of the Pan-American Airways' Clipper plane, starting October 21, R. F. Bradley is shown here with the coveted ticket in the San Francisco office of the air line. Bradley, a San Franciscan, is aviation manager of the Standard Oil Co. of California.

## Getting the Laugh on Hitler



Ramrod stiff, arm extended, is the usual picture of Adolf Hitler, German dictator, but here he is seen in an intimate, relaxed moment, jesting with an elderly woman at Breslau. She laughs heartily as he talks and presses her hand in a friendly grip.

## Easy Chairs in Death's Kitchen



Sorting out cartridge clips captured from government forces on the Navafria front, these Spanish rebel soldiers, like their mothers at a canning bee, form a sociable circle as they work. After they are sorted, cartridges suitable for rebel guns are returned to the enemy—on wings of death.

## Seeking Sun for Ninety-seventh Winter



A blanket tucked snugly over his knees, John D. Rockefeller, ninety-seven-year-old oil magnate, arrived at Ormond Beach, Fla. The photograph shows him, driving to his air-conditioned home, "The Casements," where it is his custom to remain out of public sight until spring. The sharp profile and long, tapering fingers show his extreme frailty.

## How "Undercover" Men Work



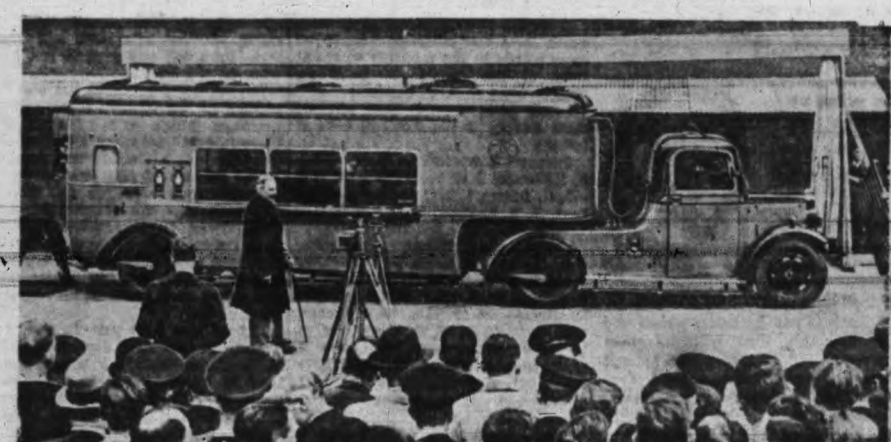
A masterpiece in camouflage is this hiding place of an infantry outpost, on the "front" in the recent gigantic manoeuvres of the German army, greatest held since the World War, in the province of Hesse. The steel-helmeted and gas-masked foot soldiers are entirely concealed from a foe in the air and only sharp-eyed advancing infantrymen would discern them before it was too late to escape death from their rifles.

## In Opera at Fifteen



A contract to sing in opera has been signed by Betty Jane Schultz, fifteen, above, believed the youngest person ever to win that distinction. A sophomore in a Chicago girls' school, she was given an audition by the manager of the Chicago City Opera Company and the result was an engagement to sing during the coming season. She will be known as Betty Jaynes.

## New Mobile Post Office Service Inaugurated



The new mobile post office service was formally inaugurated in the yard of the General Post Office, London, England, recently, by Major G. C. Tryon, Postmaster-General. The van used on the service generates its own electrical power for the telephone and telegraph services and has a staff of about six men. It has been designed for use at race meetings, cattle shows and similar gatherings.



## SECOND MILL BID IGNORED

Council Proceeds With Sale to C.P.S. After Offer Through Mayor

Banking on the axiom that a bird in the hand is worth two in the bush, the City Council, at a special meeting yesterday afternoon, went ahead with its by-law to resell the C.P.S. mill to its former owners and received and filed a cable from Mayor David Leeming stating capital was available in England to purchase the plant.

The cable, the first communication from the mayor since his departure, read:

"Party here has funds to purchase Puget Sound mills. Are they available? Financial matters progressing. No answer yet. Reply."

The message was received after the special meeting had been called to speed up passage of the by-law for the mill's resale to the C.P.S. After discussion, the council members unanimously gave the by-law preliminary readings and left it for final passage at another special meeting on Monday afternoon.

J. D. Kissinger, head of the mill here, will be asked to attend the Monday session while the council puts forward requests to ensure the employment of city jobs in the mill.

### FOR SALE TO C.P.S.

"I think we should still go ahead with the by-law and this sale, because the matter is so complicated," Alderman R. A. C. Dewar, chairman of the lands committee, said in opening the discussion. He spoke of the toeholder's lease held by the C.P.S. which might not be available to any other purchaser and other obstacles which lay in the path of sale to another organization.

If the English interests were bona fide and wished to buy a mill it would be better for them to secure a new plant, Alderman Dewar said. Acting-major James Adam concurred, remarking on the questionable value of machinery on the grounds at present.

Alderman Archie Willis spoke of the co-operation that had been received by the city from the provincial government on the C.P.S. matter and how royalties owing the government had been met. The government officials had considered rehabilitation of the mill from the point of view of citizens and had refrained from any action they might have taken towards destroying the plant as it stood. He considered the C.P.S. people the logical interests to take the mill over again. They had the timber and other requisites for its operation. It might take many months to put through a deal with the C.P.S. but the council would have to meet expenses of \$400 a month and many men would not get back to work, Alderman Willis said.

**BIRD IN HAND**  
Alderman J. D. Hunter agreed with previous speakers. The telegram from the mayor was very indefinite and the council did not know what capital the English intended to go ahead with. He thought the council should "dilly-dally" with the two propositions it might lose both, he said before quoting the bird in the hand proverb.

Alderman Dewar reminded the council that while sale was delayed the city was still called upon to pay insurance and other charges amounting to about \$400 a month.

Alderman Andrew McGavin thought the council was on the right track. It would be foolish, he believed, to take up the English bid when the council did not know what they were dealing with.

The English offer was only tentative, Alderman Okeil said before stating he thought the C.P.S. people the logical ones to take over the mill. Alderman T. W. Hawkins voiced accord with the proposal to go ahead with the sale to the C.P.S., but said if the mayor had contacted interests which had "nibbled" at the proposal before, they were people who had timber on the island as well as capital.

### VARIOUS DIFFICULTIES

H. S. Pringle, city solicitor, pointed to further difficulties in the way of a sale to the British interests. When the by-law had been given its preliminary readings, Alderman Dewar asked if some clause could not be inserted to ensure the employment of city men.

He had noticed a statement to the effect that mills requiring men would be obliged to find their labor through the provincial government employment service. Such a system would tend to draw labor from the ranks of those supported by the government. He thought the city

## Sacrificers Trowned

Brilliant Defenders Make More By Setting Bidders Than By Assuming Their Own Contract

By WM. E. McKenney  
Sacrifice bidding is one of the most interesting phases of duplicate. Whether a sacrifice pays can be decided with mathematical precision. Thus, a set of three tricks doubled is worth more than a game, if neither side is vulnerable.

If, however, the sacrificing players are not vulnerable and their opponents are, it is necessary to bet the former at least four tricks to punish them properly for their boldness, and obtain a better score, than those who are permitted to play the hand at its natural contract.

Recently, at the Montclair Bridge Club in New York, George Unger realized that he must get that necessary fourth trick if the sacrifice of East and West on today's hand was not to prove a paying one for them and an expensive one for him and his partner.

The manner in which he accomplished that result is well worth study.

Following up the opening lead of the club ace with the most effective play was the next problem. Unger solved it by leading the ten of spades, which his partner overtook with the queen, to give him a club ruff.

Unger then led the spade five, which South won with the nine and again returned a club, permitting the second club ruff.

Thus North and South by very clever and brilliant defense cashed the ace of clubs, two spade tricks, two trumps, and one heart, scoring 700 points for a clear top on the board.

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should have its share of the benefits of the employment.

Such a clause would only be of value if Mr. Kissinger agreed to it. Mr. Pringle stated.

### TO EMPLOY WHITES

Alderman Dewar moved that the lands commissioner approach Mr. Kissinger with a request to adopt that course. Major M. Kirkpatrick Crockett stated he had already seen Mr. Kissinger on the question and had been informed that a minimum number of Whites would be employed at the mill.

On a motion by Alderman Hawkins the council decided to meet Mr. Kissinger in a body with the labor request.

Present at the meeting yesterday were Acting-major Adam and Aldermen Dewar, Hawkins, Okeil, Willis, McGavin, Hunter and Luney. The council must have an attendance of nine for the final passage of the by-law.

## Garden Prizes Are Presented

Reeve Crouch Makes Awards at Horticultural Society

Members of the Victoria Horticultural Society forgot their gardening for the moment to enjoy an excellent programme of entertainment at the thirteenth annual social and prize distribution in the A.O.F. Hall yesterday evening.

Reeve William Crouch of Saanich awarded the cups and medals to the gardeners who won them during the year.

"You can almost tell the character of a man by his garden," he declared in a short address before presenting the prizes.

The reeve complimented the society on the work it had done and was doing. There were a multitude of societies now, he remarked, but the Victoria Horticultural Society had no apologies to make. It was an asset to the community.

V. W. Ahlers was presented with the Canadian Horticultural Council's Challenge Cup for the best all-round garden on the island. Mr. Ahlers also received first prize in the A class of the Victoria Horticultural Society's garden competition.

A. R. Harness received the Vancouver Island Horticultural Association's gold medal for the island's best garden worked entirely by the owner without paid help, while G. Little was presented with the bronze medal for the garden scoring the most points for vegetables.

### SPECIAL PRIZE

A special prize donated by J. Nay-Smith for a new exhibitor scoring the most points in the monthly competition of the Victoria Horticultural Society went to A. S. Derran.

Other prize winners who received their awards at the meeting were as follows:

Garden competition—Class A—2, C. Richards; 3, A. H. Nunn. Class B—1, G. Davies; 2, Mrs. J. Bant, Class C—1, P. T. Rawlin; 2, A. S. Derran; 3, A. E. Russell.

Monthly competitions (prizes sponsored by the Hudson's Bay Company through A. J. Watson)—A. M. Scott, P. Turner, W. R. Nicholls, G. Atwood, E. Dwyer, J. Ingram, J. Chamberlain, G. Holt, P. T. Rawlin, Mrs. R. C. Phillipard, D. A. G. Price, Mrs. E. W. Darcus, G. Little, T. Wallace, D. Brown, D. Snobell, H. O. Simpson, A. Mitchell, M. O. Mayhew and J. Martindale.

Potato competition held in connection with the chrysanthemum show—1, A. D. Miles; 2, W. E. Tupholme; 3, P. R. Leighton.

The chairman, Duncan McTavish, president of the society, before he

### Today's Contract Problem

If West opens with one diamond, how would you proceed with the bidding to reach a grand slam? If East bids only one heart, should West force on the second round?

(Blind)  
AK4 N 1075  
AK109 W AKJ9  
3 S 52  
A1096 Dealer VKQJ7

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E & W. vul. Opener—?

SOLUTION IN NEXT ISSUE.

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## SEEK DATA ON CUT-OFF

City Council to Ask Cowichan For Explanation of Cancellation Move

Opinions of Cowichan and other island municipal councils interested in the government's cancellation of the proposed new highway cut-off in the Cowichan district, aimed to cut out Buena Vista, Island, and carry traffic through to the Koksilah River, will be sought by the city.

The City Council yesterday afternoon decided to seek that information after Alderman T. W. C. Hawkins had voiced protest over the decision of the government to delete the road from its programme.

Alderman Hawkins contended it had been eliminated on the protest of a half dozen residents of Cowichan Bay district who did not want the cut-off.

He remarked upon the outcry against road work on the mainland by Islanders and said the mainland was to be congratulated on its ability to get work done in view of the attitude of the island residents in certain communities.

The alderman asked the council to word a very strong resolution to the government asking for the construction of the cut-off.

He also urged the government be asked to finish up the Malahat work as soon as possible.

### WANT COWICHAN VIEWS

Alderman Andrew McGavin asked what the attitude of the Cowichan municipal council was on the matter. Before the City Council took any action, it should find out what the Cowichan council thought, he said.

Alderman Stanley Okeil said he did not know enough about the proposition to support Alderman Hawkins' resolution.

Alderman Willis referred to the preference of the up-Island for Vancouver domination rather than Victoria domination if one of the two cities had to be considered and thought the City Council should move carefully before interfering in another municipality's business. He understood the deletion of the proposed new road had been a big one and moved that the matter be tabled for two weeks until the other councils gave their opinions. His suggestion carried.

During the meeting, the council decided to have the electric light plant at Goldstream Park tearooms repaired at a cost of \$50.

called upon Mr. Crouch, mentioned that Mr. Nay-Smith was in the audience. He characterized Mr. Nay-Smith as "the man who had done more than any one man to put Victoria on the map."

Mr. Nay-Smith arranged the Victoria exhibit in "he district display competitions which won at both the Victoria and Vancouver Fairs for the third time in succession this year."

The feature of the programme of entertainment arranged by Horace Whitehead was the dancing of four girls. Gwen Dewar, Evelyn Watson, Iona Robertson and Lorna Douli, who delighted the audience with Scottish and Irish reels, and Len Foster, who was called back twice to play on his whistle.

Others who took part in the programme followed: H. J. Applegate, song; P. Davidson, violin with Mrs. J. Sneddon as accompanist; Mrs. Dawson, song; Bert Lilley, comedy recitation; Mrs. M. O. Mayhew, song, and Miss L. MacDonald, song. Miss Jessie Smith accompanied most of the singers.

Following the prize-giving, members gathered below for refreshments in the capable hands of the women's auxiliary.

## Twenty-five Years Ago Today

(From the Times File)

A home run by Baker in the eighth inning featured the Philadelphia Athletics' victory over the New York Giants by a score of 3 to 2 in the third game of the World's Series at New York today.

At a largely attended meeting of men on Sunday last at the Y.M.C.A., Rev. R. A. MacConnell spoke on "Evil Myself and the Other Fellow," following which was the Bible class conducted by the acting general secretary, R. C. Horne.

Only a short time ago the salvaging of the R.M.S. Empress of China, which went ashore on the Japanese coast late in July, was declared to be an impossibility, but today, the salvage expert who has arrived at Yokohama from London, feels that if the work is done in the right way, the white liner can be floated.

Last evening the Presbytery of Victoria met at St. Aidan's Church, Cedar Hill, to induct the minister-elect, Rev. W. J. Kidd, B.D., into the pastorate of the Presbyterian congregation of Cedar Hill and Gordon Road.

Mrs. L. C. Young, Nanaimo, has returned to her home after an enjoyable holiday spent with friends in the city.

## "Lay Sunday" Plans Made

November 1 Set Aside By Conference as Day For Church Services By Laity

Sunday, November 1, has been set aside by the British Columbia Conference this year to be observed as "Lay Sunday." This has now been a regular feature across Canada for the past few years, and the observance of the day has been fostered by the Lay Association of the B.C. Conference in this province for the past three years.

Owing to local conditions the actual day of the observance is frequently changed, but there has been a steady and continuous increase in the number of churches throughout all the presbyteries of this conference which have given a regular place in their fall services to Lay Sunday.

The occasion is a special day on which the laymen of the church actively participate to the fullest possible degree in the services of the church.

Details of the subjects discussed at these services are left entirely to the individual congregation and those with whom they arrange to speak. The executive of the lay association, however, suggests that the issues presented on this day should be challenging and should deal with the larger and more complex problems of the church and its members in these days.

The details in connection with the arrangements are being handled by the executive under the direction of Dr. M. G. Archibald, Kamloops, president. There is a vice-president in charge of each of the presbyteries. Oscar Lundell being responsible for Vancouver; D. W. Welsh of Nanaimo; W. Somers, Nelson; Kootenay; Dr. R. G. Large of Prince Rupert is responsible for the northern presbytery; G. R. McNaughton of Oliver is the Kamloops-Okanagan vice-president, and Prof. E. S. Fyfe of Victoria is in charge of Vancouver Island territory. Mrs. C. C. Reid of Prince George is the Cariboo vice-president.

Also assisting in the arrangements are F. H. Fullerton, Vancouver, secretary; Dr. G. H. Manchester, West Vancouver, treasurer, and W. A. Gleason, Vancouver, vice-president.

### Four in Family Give Recital

An event of interest to local residents took place recently in Prince Rupert when four members of the family of Joseph Balagano, 815 Princess Avenue, presented a musical recital.

The Prince Rupert News says of the affair:

"Of course William Balagano (violin) was the star of the evening. He received from his brother Charles, who put in a heavy evening's work as accompanist, incidentally, never being in better form, and his nieces, Marie and Charlotte, the former as piano soloist and the latter who accompanied the last number on the programme, did a full share to make for the general excellence of the recital."

One ovation after another was given the artists, says The News which described it as "a great evening for an audience which filled the commodious auditorium of the church, making it necessary to find extra seating accommodation to provide for all."

William and Charles Balagano are sons of Joseph Balagano of Victoria. The two girls are grandchildren. William Balagano has been a member of the Seattle Symphony Orchestra and otherwise prominent in musical life there.

### Ratepayers To Draw Up Slate

Preliminary arrangements were made at an informal meeting of the Victoria Ratepayers' Association yesterday evening for a gathering of the association on November 6 for the selection of candidates for the group's slate in the city elections.

The meeting will be held at the City Hall.

Regret was expressed at yesterday evening's session over the misund-

## To Illuminate Downtown Area

Junior Chamber to Handle Arrangements For Decorating Victoria

The Victoria Junior Chamber of Commerce yesterday evening accepted the undertaking of handling arrangements for the illumination of the entire downtown section of the city, as planned for Victoria's Seventy-fifth Anniversary Celebrations, next year.

John Baxter, secretary to the City Council committee, appearing on behalf of the city to broach the subject of the Junior Chamber handling the undertaking, found the members at a general meeting, highly enthusiastic in fostering the big project.

Mr. Baxter explained that the Junior Chamber would be left to handle this end of the programme to the best of their ability, and to call upon the city, which is offering the fullest co-operation, whenever necessary. All blue prints and other plans drawn up along this line will be presented to the members of the Junior Chamber for study purposes and thus secure full knowledge of what they are endeavoring to accomplish, before they undertake the venture. Their own ideas may also be augmented, if feasible.

The big job that will face them is selling the idea to store proprietors in the downtown section, of having the fronts of their stores illuminated. At present it is anticipated that close to two-thirds of the proprietors will fall in line, with the unique arrangement, and it will be up to the Junior Chamber to point out to the remainder the assets of the plan.

Tommy Watkins, acting president owing to the resignation of J. N. Findlay, assured Mr. Baxter the members would get behind this move and put it over. He pointed out that there were fifty-four members in the organization and he would call on all to do their bit toward promoting this project.

As a forerunner to the lighting scheme the city's electric light committee will endeavor to have the block on Yates Street, between Blanshard and Douglas Street, furnished with streamers of light bulbs to illustrate the proposal. Mr. Baxter said that he thought that this part of the scheme would be accomplished by Christmas anyway, but if the whole city could be done in that time, all the better.

Mr. Baxter told of a plan afoot now for presentation of prizes for the best decorated and illuminated store, according to size. The city, he said, is at present contemplating giving awards of silver medallions, bearing the crest of the city, to the winners.

## California Is Driving Ahead

Building Permits at Los Angeles \$7,500,000 in Month, Says Visitor

"Building permits issued in Los Angeles during the month of September totaled \$7,500,000. That is a pretty fair indication of the development that is going on in southern California," said George B. Mauser, retired businessman of Hollywood, who is here staying at the Empress Hotel with his wife.

"And it is mostly residence construction," he proceeded. "I have been down there for seventeen years and I have never seen anything like it. All the apartments are filled up. It's almost impossible to get a place to live."

Mr. and Mrs. Mauser have been coming to Victoria for a number of years.

"It's more delightful than ever here. We ever leave Hollywood, we shall certainly come here, to live," they said.

## Banker Sees Change Coming

"There is a growing belief in the United States that business will show a distinct improvement with a change of administration," said R. R. Marquardt, vice-president of the First National Bank, Chicago, commenting upon the approaching U.S. presidential election.

Mr. Marquardt is at the Empress Hotel with his wife. He is making a leisurely trip home via Canada after attending the convention of the American Bankers' Association in San Francisco last September.

Admitting there was a certain improvement in the United States now, Mr. Marquardt said: "The natural economic laws are working. Credit for it cannot be given to the administration."

The government is spending \$2 for every \$1 received. That cannot go on indefinitely," he said.

Free of Charge  
Two colored troopers were lining up for show outside the mess hall, "Bay" declared one. "If you don't see someone behind me, I'm going to knock you out of house 'n' home!"

"See you! How 'n' figure to do that, when I ain't got no home!" "Brother, I'll dig you one!"

standing which had impeded the recent public meeting of taxpayers, on the disqualification of Mayor Leeming and Alderman P. R. Brown, to the association. That gathering had not been called by the organization, it was explained.

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## Portsouth Moves Into Undisputed Lead In English Soccer

### THE SPORTS MIRROR

By PETER SALLAWAY

AFTER all the ballyhoo that was made at the recent annual meeting of the British Columbia Amateur Basketball Association about breaking away from the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada, the affiliation fee of the cagers was one of the first received by the A.A.U. bosses previous to their annual session at Vancouver. This was the information given to us this week by Gordon Woodbridge, well-known local A.A.U. official. Apparently the whole thing was a lot of talk about nothing.

There are too many cool and sound heads connected with provincial basketball to allow that group to break away from the Amateur Union. What good would it do for the B.C. body to make the break? It would just leave this province all on its own. The idea is all right if all the basketballers in Canada want to cut the ties. But we can't imagine the Quebec and Toronto provincial groups leaving the Amateur Union. The A.A.U. is much too strong in that part of the country. Although no one has ever come out in the open and made the accusation, we have heard from more than one source that the controversy in B.C. is nothing more than a personal fight between Walter Hardwick, treasurer of the B.C. Basketball Association, and Norman Porter, president of the provincial branch of the A.A.U., with Hardwick firing most of the "bullet" broadsides.

Those responsible for the operation of the senior rugby league in Victoria should get their heads together and find out some way of securing a fourth club. At the present time there are three entries, Canadian Scottish, J.B.A.A. and Navy. About Christmas time the sailors will leave on their annual cruise with the result their team will be missing. That will leave a two-team league, which is a cinch to operate at a loss.

Oak Bay Wanderers, long the under-dogs in the senior league, are again willing to operate providing they can get sufficient players. This team should be given every encouragement and support in their efforts. It has even been suggested by one leading official that the best players be divided up and spread around between three teams, leaving the Navy line-up intact. That might prove a smart move. It would make for better competition and would prevent one or two clubs loading up with the majority of the better players.

### Re-elected Lawn Bowling Club Head

At the annual meeting of the Victoria West Ladies' Lawn Bowling Club held recently, Mrs. W. Desley was re-elected president. Following the election it was decided to hold a 500 drive in the clubrooms next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Other officers elected follow: Mrs. W. Blude, first vice-president; Mrs. C. Foa, secretary; Mrs. N. Hill, treasurer; Mrs. G. Foster, Mrs. H. Baskin, Mrs. E. Waddington, Mrs. F. Randall and Mrs. W. McQuigge, members of the executive committee.

### CRITICALLY INJURED

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 17.—Ralph Mernaugh, twenty, end on the South Dakota State University football team, was critically injured in a game with Omaha Municipal University yesterday.

### Beats Manchester United As Pair Of Rivals Lose

Derby Defeated By Manchester City and Brentford Loses to Grimsby

### Arsenal Winner Over Charlton

Canadian Press

London, Oct. 17.—Portsouth went out into the lead in the English Football League today by defeating Manchester United 2 to 1. The southern team's rivals for leadership, Derby County and Brentford, weakened through supplying star players to the international game between England and Wales at Cardiff, both suffered reverses.

Manchester City proved too strong for Derby at Maine Road, getting maximum points with a 3 to 2 decision. Grimsby Town took the measure of Brentford 2 to 0. Portsmouth, with fifteen points, now has a two-point lead over Derby and Brentford.

Failure of most of the leaders left other positions among championship contenders virtually unchanged. Grimsby's fine victory, however, put the fishermen on even terms with Huddersfield Town, Everton and Preston North End. The latter surprised critics by winning 2 to 0 at Stoke.

### EVERTON BEATEN

Everton's colors were lowered 3 to 0 by the last-place Leeds United team, while Huddersfield Town went down 4 to 2 at Birmingham. The London battle between Arsenal and Charlton Athletic at Valley Parade ended in a 2 to 0 victory for the Gunners.

In the second division Bury continued to hold its place at the top with a 4 to 2 verdict over Doncaster Rovers. Blackpool, runner-up, was successful 2 to 0 against Burnley.

Cardiff City, southern section, third division leader, was idle today and Luton went to the top of the heap with a 4 to 1 victory over the strong Watford squad. In the northern section Chester made no mistake against Darlington, winning 2 to 1.

### FIRST DIVISION

Birmingham 4, Huddersfield Town 2.  
 Charlton Athletic 0, Arsenal 2.  
 Chelsea 1, Sheffield Wednesday 1.  
 Grimsby Town 2, Brentford 0.  
 Leeds United 3, Everton 0.  
 Liverpool 3, Bolton Wanderers 0.  
 Manchester City 2, Derby County 2.  
 Middlesbrough 5, Sunderland 5.  
 Portsmouth 2, Manchester United 1.  
 Stoke City 0, Preston North End 2.  
 West Bromwich Albion 2, Wolverhampton Wanderers 1.

### SECOND DIVISION

Barnsley 1, Bradford City 1.  
 Blackburn Rovers 0, Fulham 2.  
 Blackpool 2, Burnley 0.  
 Bradford 3, Aston Villa 3.  
 Bury 4, Doncaster Rovers 2.  
 Leicester City 1, Coventry City 0.  
 Newcastle United 1, Chesterfield 2.  
 Norwich City 4, Notts Forest 0.  
 Sheffield United 1, Swansea Town 0.  
 Tottenham Hotspurs 4, Southampton 0.  
 West Ham United 1, Plymouth Argyle 1.

### THIRD DIVISION Southern Section

Bristol City 2, Millwall 0.  
 Clapton Orient 2, Bournemouth 1.  
 Crystal Palace 6, Newport County 1.  
 Exeter City 1, Gillingham 1.  
 Luton Town 4, Watford 1.  
 Notts County 3, Northampton Town 2.  
 Queen's Park Rangers 1, Swindon Town 2.  
 Reading 2, Aldershot 0.  
 Torquay United 1, Bristol Rovers 0.  
 Walsall 1, Brighton 4.

### Northern Section

Barrow 0, Stockport County 0.  
 Carlisle United 5, Port Vale 2.  
 Chester 2, Darlington 1.  
 Crewe Alexandra 3, Gateshead 1.  
 Halifax Town 0, New Brighton 0.  
 Hartlepool United 1, Oldham Athletic 0.  
 Mansfield Town 5, Hull City 2.  
 Rochdale 0, Wrexham 6.  
 Southport 3, Accrington Stanley 1.  
 Tranmere Rovers 2, Lincoln City 2.  
 York City 4, Rotherham United 3.

### STRANGE AS IT SEEMS

—By John Hix



ENGINEER ON LOCOMOTIVES OF THE B. & O. RAILROAD FOR OVER HALF A CENTURY, strange as it seems William C. Hand did little actual traveling.

Though he ran up a total mileage of more than 2,000,000 miles, a distance equal to approximately eighty trips around the earth, Hand took nearly 14,000 trips to do it. At least seven-eighths of the miles he clicked off on the rails were confined to the State of Maryland. His chief run was between Washington and Cumberland. Seldom did his trips take him farther out of Maryland than the nation's capital.

Engineer Hands comes from a truly railroad-minded family. Two of his brothers were employed by the B. & O. for a combined total of forty years and his father was an engineer with the company for fifty.

Retired in 1928, William "Old Bill" Hand decided to really do a bit of traveling. He recently returned from a trip to Florida. Mr. Hand is now eighty-one years old.

A member of the Steganopodes family, the gannet shares peculiarities with that group, common to no other birds.

Examinations of embryo and very young gannets show a tiny passage through the peak that might possibly be used for breathing, but in the older birds even this slight sign of a nostril is plugged up.

Another distinction of the Steganopodes family is the fact that all their toes on each foot are united by a common web. On all other birds the inner or hind toe, when present, is free.

Now a lieutenant-colonel in the U.S. army, F. B. Terrell scored twenty-eight touchdowns and forty-one conversions in 1900 with the Swarthmore team.

At that time touchdowns counted only five points. Under the present system of six points for a touchdown, Terrell's total would have eclipsed Jim Thorpe's all-time one-season record of 198 points by eleven.

The semi-wind-up between Donald McIntyre, Scotland, and Chief Thunderbird, Saanich, resulted in a no-fall draw. The Scot concentrated on arm locks the entire bout and several times had the Indian in a bad way but he always managed to wriggle free. In the final round Thunderbird put on an Indian death-lock but was unable to rise to his feet to put on the pressure and McIntyre finally broke it.

Using elbow butts and flying tackles Fred Carone, Italy, gained a fall in the fourth round to defeat Louie Newman, Victoria. In the final round Newman had the visiting grappler in a bad way but was unable to get the tying fall before the bell.

The local preliminary saw Young Doc Sarpias and Jack Frost wrestle to a no-fall draw.

### FIGHT RESULTS

**BOXING.**  
 St. Louis—Otis Thomas, 202, New York, knocked out Buck Everett, 178, Washington, D.C., one.  
 Atlantic City, N.J.—Tommy Cross, 130, Philadelphia, outpointed Johnny Defoe, 128, New York, ten.  
 Philadelphia—Willie Reddish, 187, Tantaopolous, 177, Greece, two.  
 Providence, R.I.—Ralph Zannelli, 145, Providence, knocked out Frank Dias, 145, New Bedford, Mass.  
 Tampa, Fla.—Mariano Arilla, 115, Spain, outpointed Bud Galloway, 111, St. Petersburg, Fla., ten.  
**WRESTLING.**  
 Boston—Yvon Robert, 221, Montreal, defeated K. O. Koverly, 224, California, two out of three falls.  
 North Bergen, N.J.—Henry Piers, 222, Holland, threw Stan Sokolka, 218, Philadelphia, 30-27.  
 Ottawa—Dean Deaton, 204, Salt Lake City, defeated Lou Plummer, 228, South Bend, Ind., two straight falls.

### BILLIARDS

**CITY BILLIARD LEAGUE.**  
 Britannia C. 4th Sergeant's Mess  
 Henson 62 Elliot 150  
 J. Pimrose 128 Hatcher 150  
 A. Johnson 142 Morris 150  
 R. Clarke 150 Moss 161  
 Total 468 Total 581  
 4th Sergeant's Mess won three games.

### Plans Advance For Rugby Week

### Invitation Golf At Uplands Club

Next Wednesday at the Uplands Golf Club an invitation tournament will be held, open to both men and women. Play will be all-day and the conditions will be medal play on full handicap.

### CADDIES WILL PLAY MONDAY

### Victoria and Vancouver Bag Toters in Interclub Match at Oak Bay

Victoria caddies will oppose caddies from Vancouver in an intercity golf match at the Victoria Golf Club on Monday. Two strong teams have been lined up and the brand of golf will be good.

### STEEL GETS STIFF TEST

### Middleweight Champ Meets Allen Matthews at Seattle Wednesday

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 17.—Boxing fans from all over the northwest will again trek to Seattle Wednesday night to see Freddie Steele, middleweight champion of the world, make his first start as a titleholder here.

Steele is facing Allen Matthews, the "Black Dempsey" from St. Louis, in Nate Dauxman's ten-round feature melee. Matthews, who has greatly impressed the fans in his workouts here the past week, will be the first fighter in many moons to enter the ring against Steele, accorded an even chance of winning.

Matthews, who has one of the best records of any middleweight in the world, appears to have what it takes. The colored sacker can punch with both hands, is fast on his feet, a good ring general and can take a wallop.

**GOOD RECORD.**  
 Steele realizes that he is up against one of the toughest propositions he has ever faced, and has been doing a lot of hard work in Tacoma preparing himself for Wednesday night's struggle.

Steele knocked out Young Strubley in less than a round while the latter has three ten-round fights with Steele to his credit. Allen has other brilliant battles to his credit, and his gym workouts would tend to indicate that he is every bit as good as his record claims.

### Esquimalt Polo Team Wins Final

Turning in an interesting exhibition of riding and shooting, the Esquimalt team of Esquimalt took the final polo game of the season from the visiting Cowichan club this week by an 11 to 3 score.

Teams follow:  
 Whychbury—Maor—Piddington, Peter Piddington, James Piddington and B. Deane-Freeman. Substitute, Sylvia Piddington.  
 Cowichan—J. Bales, A. Carberry, Captain Mackenzie and Major Matthews.

The Esquimalt team will be back at the Forester's Hall next Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Entries for the league should be filed with the secretary on or before that date as the draw will be made during the meeting.

A meeting of the Capital City and District Carpet Bowling League will be held at the Forester's Hall next Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Entries for the league should be filed with the secretary on or before that date as the draw will be made during the meeting.

### OUR MAIL BAG

**DOMINOES BASKETBALL TEAM.**  
 To the Sports Editor:—Having only just returned from a steady after an absence of several months, I am indeed surprised to learn of the sudden rift in the line-up of our own famous Dominoes basketball team.

Can it be truly possible that this clever aggregation of players, who have over a period of time consistently displayed such a high standard of all-round teamwork and good fellowship is to fall away into the seemingly inevitable groove of "once great" athletic organizations?

I understand the present situation will enable two teams to operate in the line-up of our own famous Dominoes basketball team.



# Wales Defeats England In International Soccer Battle

## Rally In Second Half to Register Odd-goal Victory

Score Is 2 to 1 in Opening Battle of Series Played at Cardiff

### Glover Scores Winning Goal

Canadian Press

Cardiff, Wales, Oct. 17.

Staging a smart second-half recovery, Wales defeated England 2 to 1 in the first match of the international soccer series before 45,000 spectators here today. England led 1 to 0 at the interval.

The Welshmen fully deserved their success, playing up like champions in the second half when the English appeared to be disorganized. Play in the first period was fairly even. It was Wales' second straight victory over England. Last year at Wolverhampton Wales came out on top by a similar verdict.

**OPENING GOAL**

Bastin, Arsenal's clever winger, scored England's goal shortly before the interval with a bullet-like drive after he had accepted a pass by Westwood, Bolton Wanderer star. Keeping up a bombardment of the English goal after the change of ends, Wales finally equalized through Morris of Birmingham, who sent a corner kick curling into the net with Holdcroft unsighted. Glover, Grimsby Town's leader, got the winning counter, heading in a centre by Hopkins.

Play was very even in the opening forty-five minutes, but the Welsh team lacked finesse. Griffiths played well, but the English defenders had a hectic time, particularly towards the end of the game. Barker could not hold Glover and Spratton and Catlin behind him did a lot of running about and seemed glad to kick in any direction.

At times England's forwards displayed sparkling combination, but Griffiths and Turner played steadily and intercepted passes neatly on several occasions.

The teams follow:

**Wales**—Goal, Gray (Chester); backs, Turner (Charlton Athletic), Robert (Arsenal); halfbacks, Warner (Swansea Town), Griffiths (Aston Villa); Richards (Brentford); forwards, Hopkins (Brentford), B. Jones (Wolverhampton Wanderers), Glover (Grimsby Town), L. Jones (Coventry City), Morris (Birmingham).

**England**—Goal, Holdcroft (Preston North End); backs, Spratton (Leeds United), Catlin (Sheffield Wednesday); halfbacks, Sheffield (Wolverhampton Wanderers), Barker, Keen (Derby County); forwards, Crooks (Derby County), Scott (Brentford), Steel (Stoke City), Westwood (Bolton Wanderers), Bastin (Arsenal).

**G. LEDINGHAM IS PRESIDENT**

Elected Head of Greater Victoria Horseshoe Pitchers' Association

A meeting of the Greater Victoria Horseshoe Pitchers' Association was held at 1034 Pandora Avenue this week, at which the secretary gave a resume of the season's activities together with the financial statement, showing a balance on hand with which to start the 1937 season.

George Ledingham was elected president; E. Brice, vice-president; J. Keating, treasurer, and Arthur Manson, secretary. A vote of thanks was tendered to W. Merriam, the retiring president, for the able manner in which he guided the association's affairs during the playing season.

Cups were then presented as follows: John Worthington Cup, for the city singles championship, J. Keating; Rennie and Taylor Cup, for the city doubles championship, J. Keating and A. Rutherford; the Victoria Daily Times Cup, for the Vancouver Island championship, L. Cockrill and H. Kirkham; Daily Colonist Cup for the Vancouver Island singles championship, Harold Kirkham, and the Rennie and Taylor Cup for the season's single championship, W. J. Rennie.

A vote of thanks was passed to Mr. Rennie for the donation of two handsome cups and for supplying sandwiches and taking after the meeting. L. Cockrill of Union Avenue, Lake Hill, was thanked for his kind offer of the use of his enclosed pitch at his residence for anyone who cared to continue their practice during the winter months.

**Cowichan Club Names Officers**

Duncan, Oct. 17.—The annual general meeting of the Cowichan Golf

## ANGLING and HUNTING

By "CAP" THORSEN

Bucktail flies—a local product by the way—have made three things famous during the last week: Cowichan Bay, salmon fishing and the bucktails themselves. Never in the history of this lure have demands been so extensive; never has the bay been so popular; and anglers are having the time of their lives with these sporting specimens on equally sporting tackle.

To give some indication of the enthusiasm being displayed a check-up on the local sporting goods stores was made, and it revealed that during the last two weeks one local store sold eighty dozen bucktail flies, another fifty-five dozen and two others who do not deal exclusively in the fishing tackle line, three dozen apiece. This, summed up, accounts for 141 dozen or 1,692 flies.

Incidentally the coho are still thick in the bay. Good catches were reported during the week. This week-end is expected to draw another record gathering of knights of the rod, and the above mentioned lure, along with small plugs, are recommended as the best attractions for the fish.

Fighting grise weighing from one pound to a pound and a half are quite plentiful in Saanich Inlet now. During the last week or ten days individual catches have reached as high as fifteen and seventeen.

The waters where these specimens are to be found appear to be around Whittakers Point to Bamerton and along that side to the ferry landing. A little white plug or a Cowichan spinner and worm have proven successful. Lloyd Jones and Jack Cadell, members of the Hoyle-Brown basketball team, got thirteen last Sunday, while Lee McEwan landed seventeen and Jack Sinclair ten.

Springs weighing up to fifteen pounds are also in evidence in the inlet waters. They seem to like a large plug.

Two associations have deplored the use of leaded lines over five-pounds in weight in sport-fishing waters on Vancouver Island. These two clubs, the Victoria-Saanich Inlet Anglers' Association and the Nanaimo Fish and Game Association, are demanding action on this matter from the Affiliated Fish and Game Association of Vancouver Island, with whom they are affiliated. The Victoria and District Fish and Game Association will be the next club to stand in the line-up for better deal for the sport fishing grounds, according to what transpired at the general meeting the other night. It is anticipated that all fish and game clubs and other organizations interested in fish conservation will be in the ranks before long to add strength to the movement. It will require legislation to empower such a move.

Hundreds of bird hunters made for the wide open spaces early this morning as the open season for pheasants, quail, willow grouse, European partridge and ducks was ushered in.

Here is the way reliable sources sum up the situation: Pheasants, spotty; quail, not very promising, owing to scourge of domestic cats gone wild; European partridges, not promising, with indications pointing to a greater scarcity of these birds each year; willow grouse, these birds are still in the swamps and it will take some good heavy rain to drive them out; ducks, it is too early yet for the northern fowl, but quite a number of local-bred ducks, chiefly Wilson snipe and teal, have been observed around the Cowichan Bay area especially on the flats.

The manner in which game warden and provincial policemen who act as game wardens during the shooting season accost drivers on the highways, seeking to find firearms and demanding their licenses, brought strong protest at the meeting of the Victoria and District Fish and Game Association this week. The secretary was instructed to write the affiliated Island body requesting that this matter be brought to the attention of provincial authorities, and see whether or not the searching could not be done in a more friendly fashion.

Club was held in the clubhouse, Duncan, on Thursday evening. E. F. Duncan, vice-president, was in the chair. A letter was read from the president, Cal. A. P. Slater, expressing his regret at having to resign from the club, as he is now living in Victoria, and wishing the members every success.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, T. H. Kingscott; vice-president, H. R. Punnett; captain, Nat Staples; committee, Miss Beaver, A. E. P. Stubbs, H. A. Rhodes, J. L. Matland and N. B. Craig; secretary-treasurer, E. W. Carr-Hilton.

## Nuvolari Captures Auto Classic



Tazio Nuvolari, forty-year-old Italian speed demon, took an early lead in the classic Vanderbilt Cup road race at the new Roosevelt Raceway, Westbury, L.I., and held it almost continually throughout the 200-mile test. In the above picture Nuvolari is seen seated in his Alfa-Romeo accepting the huge trophy from its donor, George Vanderbilt.

## LONG PRICES AT TANFORAN

Outsiders Capture Six Out of Eight Races; Bonny Grafton Victor

San Francisco, Oct. 17.—Bonny Grafton raced to a two-length victory in the featured sixth race at Tanforan yesterday. Chatusa was second and Maid of Perth finished third. The time was 1:11 2-5.

The winner is owned by the A.C.I. Stock Farm of Vancouver, B.C. Maid of Perth set the pace, but Bonny Grafton came to the front in the stretch to win easily, with Chatusa nosing out the pacemaker.

The winner paid \$3.20, \$2.60 and \$2.20 on Chatusa, and \$2.20 on Maid of Perth.

Results follow:

First race—Six furlongs: Cumulative Thompson, \$30.20; \$11.20; \$6.20; \$3.20; \$2.20; \$1.20. Time, 1:13 1-5. Also ran: Lolly Pop, \$1.20; \$1.20; \$1.20; \$1.20; \$1.20; \$1.20.

Second race—Six furlongs: Eagle Boy (New), \$12.20; \$5.20; \$3.20; \$2.20; \$1.20; \$1.20. Time, 1:13 1-5. Also ran: Val J. \$1.20; \$1.20; \$1.20; \$1.20; \$1.20; \$1.20.

Third race—Six furlongs: Jessie Cloud (New), \$11.20; \$4.20; \$3.20; \$2.20; \$1.20; \$1.20. Time, 1:12 3-5. Also ran: Val J. \$1.20; \$1.20; \$1.20; \$1.20; \$1.20; \$1.20.

## IRISH SOCCER

Associated Press

Belfast, Oct. 17.—Results in Irish Football League games today follow:

Derry City 4, Cliftonville 0. Celtic 1, Glenavon 0. Larne 1, Ballymena 2. Portadown 0, Ards 1. Glenavon 0, Coleraine 3. Newry Town 0, Linfield 0. Distillery 2, Bangor 1.

## ENGLISH TEAM HITS FREELY

M.C.C. Cricketers Score 469 For Four Wickets in Australia Play

Associated Press

Perth, Australia, Oct. 17.—The touring Marylebone Cricket Club today gave West Australia a taste of its batting strength. In the second day play of the opening match of their Australian tour the English players hit the opposing bowlers at will, scoring 469 runs for four wickets in reply to the home team's first innings total of 142.

Walter Hammond, Gloucestershire star, hit up 141 in three hours. He hit two sixes and fourteen fours. R. E. S. Wyatt, Warwickshire skipper, and former England captain, made 106. When play closed for the day Joseph Hardstaff, Nottinghamshire, was not out with 87 and T. S. Worthington, Derbyshire, unbeaten with 39.

A crowd of 5,000 saw today's play. The weather was cool and the wicket easy.

**Bowling Scores**

OLYMPIC ALLEYS

SERVICE CLUBS TENPIN LEAGUE

The Revellers—A. E. Todd 412, J. O. Ed-wardson 423, S. L. Hearn 487, J. Stur-dison 424, low score 232, handicap 300. Total 1,134.

Pacific Club—J. Waters 460, J. R. Angus 412, C. Brown 322, H. Hendrick 366, A. Park 358, handicap 201. Total 2,227.

ARCADIA ALLEYS

SENIOR TENPIN LEAGUE

Poodle Dog Cafe—J. Howell 483, A. Rid-ger 484, Porter 483, H. Wilson 526, low score 291. Total 2,322.

The Daily Colonist—W. Norris 270, A. Anderson 270, M. Pickett 260, A. Broad-bent 260, C. Chislett 351. Total 2,322.

## U.S. PLAYERS OUT FOR GOOD

Interprovincial Rugby Football Union Makes Final Ruling on "Imports"

Hamilton, Ont., Oct. 17.—The Interprovincial Rugby Football Union's executive late yesterday upheld a protest filed by Toronto Argonauts and confirmed for the second time an edict barring United States players from participating in the Big Four this season.

The Argonauts protest was filed following last Saturday's game in Toronto, in which Ottawa Roughriders used two ineligible players, Tony Rosso and Stan O'Neill, but lost to Argos, 14 to 0. Upholding of the protest will make no change in the standings.

Following the meeting, which lasted more than two hours, Secretary J. D. Chittman issued the following statement:

"The protest of Toronto Argonauts against the use of Players Rosso and O'Neill by the Ottawa Roughriders was upheld. Playing certificates and permission to play in Inter-Provincial Union games were denied the following: Rosso and O'Neill, Ottawa; Faust, Painton and Brock, Hamilton; Olson and Ferraro, Montreal, and Tindall, Burt, Toronto."

Ottawa, Oct. 17.—President James McCaffrey of the Ottawa Football Club issued a statement late night in which he said the club agreed to abide by the verdict of the Big Four directors in barring American players.

**Recreation Work**

Three hundred people attended the official opening of the provincial recreation centres winter activities, held at the Crystal Garden auditorium last night.

Before an enthusiastic audience the girls put on a varied programme of activities as carried on in the centres. Those taking part were the Misses Frances and Doreen Borde, Hadow, Lee-Warner, Dale-Johnson, Homer-Dixon, Swift, Britts and Howell; and in the boys' section, Joe Arvack, Arnold Dawkins, Stan Orchard and Jack Hornsby. Acting Mayor James Adam and Ian Elsenhardt were present and outlined to the assembly the aims and objects of the work of the recreation centres.

The first dancing classes for women will be held at the Memorial Hall gymnasium on Wednesday at 7:30 o'clock, and on Friday at 2:30 o'clock. The tap dancing classes for men are to be resumed this season at a hall which is yet to be named. The men's gymnastic classes will be announced as soon as final arrangements have been made for a suitable gymnasium.

An evening gym class for women will be announced later.

Swimming classes, including life-saving, will begin early in November at the Crystal Garden. Information concerning any of the work at the city and rural centres can be had of Alf Batchelor at G 2240.

## Aberdeen Gains In Scottish Football

First Division Leaders Whip Queen of South 3 to 2 As Both Glasgow Rangers and Celtic Are Held to Draws; Leading Clubs Fare Badly

Canadian Press

Glasgow, Oct. 17.—Victorious 3 to 2 over Queen of South at Dumfries, Aberdeen, gained a point over Rangers and Celtic today in the race for the Scottish Football League championship. Rangers could do no better than draw 1 to 1 against Queen's Park on the amateurs' ground and the Celtic and Dundee failed to score on the latter's ground.

It was a poor day for leading clubs. Motherwell and Hearts both suffered defeats, the former losing 2 to 1 to the powerful Third Lanark outfit at Fir Park. Hearts went under to St. Johnstone at Muirton Park, 3 to 0.

Outstanding among the day's games was that at Falkirk, where ten goals were scored. The home team had the edge, downing Dunfermline 6 to 4. Clyde did well to overcome Hamilton Academicals 4 to 3 at Shawfield.

In other encounters Partick Thistle mastered Arbroath 3 to 1, Kilmarnock won by a similar decision against Albion Rovers and Hibernians and St. Mirren fought to a scoreless draw at Easter Road, Edinburgh.

Only one point divides the first five teams in the second division and the race for promotion is the closest in years. Morton lost 2 to 1 to St. Bernards and now share the lead with the victors. Each team has sixteen points. Dunbarton, Cowdenbeath and Raith Rovers are bracketed in third place.

Results follow:

**FIRST DIVISION**

Clyde 4, Hamilton Academicals 3. Dundee 0, Celtic 0.

Hibernians 0, St. Mirren 0. Falkirk 6, Dunfermline 4.

**SECOND DIVISION**

Airdrieonians 1, Ayr United 1. Brechin City 0, King's Park 3. Cowdenbeath 5, Dundee United 3. East Fife 2, Alloa 0.

Edinburgh City 1, East Stirling 3. Montrose 2, Leith Athletic 1. Raith Rovers 3, Dumbarton 0. St. Bernards 2, Morton 1.

Stenhousemuir 4, Forfar Athletic 0.

**Carpet Bowling**

The draw for the opening games next week in the Victoria Carpet Bowling League follow:

**A SECTION**

Monday

Eagles C vs. Britannia Rustlers.

**Tuesday**

Britannia Rangers vs. S.O.E. Row-nin.

**Thursday**

C. G. Pirates vs. S.O.E. Victory.

**B SECTION**

Tuesday

C. G. Ramblers vs. S.O.E. Lions.

**Wednesday**

Britannia Rovers vs. S.O.E. Hood.

**Thursday**

Britannia Sports vs. Eagles A.

## B.C. PLAYERS MAKING GOOD

Red Dutton Praises Work of Coast Hockeyists in Training Camp

Oshawa, Ont., Oct. 17.—"I've got the finest bunch of amateur hockey players I ever saw right here in Oshawa," said "Red" Dutton, manager of the New York Americans, as candidates for his star-spangled crew went through workouts at the Oshawa Arena yesterday. "Just look at that boy Pete Lewick skate. If he isn't National Hockey League timber then nobody is."

Others who came in for favorable comment were Bill Burnett, husky rearguard from Kimberley, Dyna-miters; Ab-Crome, right-winger, from Trail, B.C., and Johnny Thompson, Dominions, Toronto.

Dutton said the amateur candidates would be cut down probably next Wednesday and that four or five may be offered professional contracts. The players went through a stiff workout yesterday with sticks.

**SOOKE**

Sooke, Oct. 16.—Nine tables were in play at the Sooke Community Hall on Wednesday evening, when the Sooke and North Sooke Women's Institute held the first of the winter series of military five hundred parties. The prize-winners were as follows: Ten bid, Mrs. E. Arden, Mrs. A. Sullivan, Mrs. G. A. Arden and E. Arden; consolation, Mrs. K. Cairns, Mrs. C. A. Heigsen, J. L. Beattie and H. Page. The convener was Mrs. J. P. Noury, Mrs. K. Gragnie, Mrs. G. A. Arden and Mrs. H. Slack. R. Arden had charge of play.

A basketball game will be held in Charter's Hall on Saturday evening under the auspices of the Sooke Athletic Association.

Mrs. F. Norton of Deer Harbor has returned to her home after having spent the past six weeks in Sooke visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

# TRAVEL by BUS

## 3 ROUND TRIPS DAILY BETWEEN VICTORIA and NANAIMO

Lv. Victoria ..... 9:15 a.m.—1:30 p.m.—6:30 p.m.  
 Lv. Nanaimo ..... 8:00 a.m.—1:30 p.m.—8:30 p.m.  
 \*Connecting with up-Island points.

## 2 ROUND TRIPS DAILY BETWEEN NANAIMO and COURTENAY

Lv. Nanaimo ..... 1:45 p.m.—8:30 p.m.  
 Lv. Courtenay ..... 10:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.  
 \*Connecting with Campbell River—Mezles Bay

## 2 ROUND TRIPS DAILY BETWEEN NANAIMO and PORT ALBERNI

Lv. Nanaimo ..... 1:30 p.m.—8:30 p.m.  
 Lv. Port Alberni ..... 10:15 a.m.—4:15 p.m.  
 \*Connecting with Sproat Lake—Gt. Central Lake

### LOW WEEK-END FARES

Effective any trip, Friday through Sunday. Final return limit, Monday midnight (subject to minimum).

### FARE and 1/4 FOR ROUND TRIP

### CHANGE OF ROUTING

Owing to the closing of the Malahat from Monday to Friday, inclusive, until further notice the 9:15 a.m. coach from Victoria and the 8 a.m. coach from Nanaimo will be routed via the Mill Bay Ferry.

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Hon. George S. Pearson and N. W. Whittaker, M.P.P., will address the Saanich Liberals when they meet at Hampton Hall on Monday evening next, at 8 o'clock, for their annual meeting and election of officers. A large attendance of Liberals and their friends is expected. Refreshments will be served.

The annual meeting of the trustees of Marigold Hall Community Centre will be held at Marigold Hall on Monday evening at 7.45 o'clock.

The monthly meeting of Ward Six Liberal Association will be held at the Liberal headquarters on Government Street at 8 o'clock, Monday evening. Frank Hall and W. P. Lawson will address the meeting. Refreshments will be served following the meeting. A cordial invitation is extended to all members of the Victoria Liberal Association.

Ernest Frederick Chester of Hollywood will speak on "Dickens's Place on the Literary Map" at a meeting of the Victoria Dickens Fellowship to be held in the Women's Institute rooms, 635 Fort Street, at 8 o'clock, Monday evening. Mrs. W. Chapple will give the second installment of her report on the Dickens centenary celebrations which she attended in London as representative of the Victoria group. Her talk will be entitled "The Visit to Gad's Hill."

Potatoes have about eight-tenths water content.

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## NEWS IN BRIEF

Notice is given in the B.C. Gazette this week by John William Beadle of Vancouver that he has changed his surname to Beadell, as from September 15.

There will be a meeting of the officers' composite mess on Tuesday evening next, at 10 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

Winning numbers in the Mount View High School sports tobola were: 1381, 2682, 300, 1550, 1205, 2274, 1333, 1571, 2275, 395, 4291, 1809, 4636, 1654, 2302, 1821, 369.

Chicken pox of a mild form continued to lead the current illnesses in the city this week, according to a report prepared today by the city health department. During the week thirteen cases of chicken pox were reported, one of diphtheria, one of rubella, one of measles, another of whooping cough and another of erysipals.

The appeal in the case of J. and B. Nicol vs. E. E. Heath was quashed by the B.C. Court of Appeal yesterday when the court upheld a move for that action by W. H. M. Haldane on the grounds no complete judgment had been secured in the trial court. The case covers accounts sought from Mr. Heath, agent for properties of the late Mrs. Nicol.

G. P. Gallaway of Vancouver today was the proud holder of the first gold button presented by the Coho Club of Cowichan Bay, as a symbol of his prowess with rod and reel in the bay. The angler annexed the coveted emblem this morning when he reeled in a fighting seventeen-pound coho salmon in Cowichan Bay on a red and white bucktail fly, using light tackle.

The business meeting of the James Bay Parent-Teacher Association will be held in South Park School Tuesday afternoon, October 20, at 3.30 o'clock. It is requested all members be present. The association is planning a Halloween party on Wednesday evening, October 28, at 8 o'clock. A novelty programme is being arranged by the entertainment committee. Cards will be played and refreshments served.

Land sales in Victoria during September fell far short of those for the corresponding month last year, officials of the city assessor collector's office reported today. In September 1935 property valued at \$179,660 changed hands against \$103,060 last month. The 1935 total included sales of \$101,070 against sales last month of \$56,640. Other changes in ownership were accounted for by transfers, wills, etc.

The regular meeting of the Gordon Head Current Event Club has been postponed in order that the members may attend the presentation of the colors, which they are making to the Gordon Head Guides. The presentation will be held in the Gordon Head Hall on Wednesday, October 21. Tea will be served by the Girl Guides' Association at 3 o'clock, and a talk will be given by the divisional commissioner, Mrs. Gale, on "Guide Work and the Association." Flag will be presented at 4 o'clock.

Rev. Dennis G. Kidout, F.R.G.S., editor of The United Church of Canada Record, will give an illustrated lecture in First United Church on Tuesday evening next, at 8 o'clock. Mr. Kidout will show unique photographs taken during his 30,000-mile tour in Africa. This journey was recently taken by Mr. Kidout in order that he might see something of the life and work there. By bush car and automobile, canoe and motor launch, railroad and airplane he was taken by missionaries into large African cities and small jungle villages, "into native kraals and chiefs' embasies, into mining compounds and mission stations."

## B.C. Lumber Output Records Large Gains

**Thirteen Per Cent Increase in Production From Woods Shown as Export Markets Demand More Lumber From Provinces; New Record For Overseas Shipments Assured**

Production of logs from British Columbia forests surpassed two billion feet in the first nine months of 1936 for a 13 per cent gain over last year, according to provincial log scale figures for the period released by the forest branch of the British Columbia Department of Lands today.

The scale up to the end of September is given as 2,012,652,348 board feet. This compares with 1,775,437,389 last year, and 1,498,074,538 in 1934. The increase from last year is 237,194,959 board feet.

Forty-three per cent of the total cut was reported by water to overseas markets, the gain in this direction being the chief reason for the increased production.

Latest figures reveal an improvement by 38 per cent in the waterborne exports as compared with last year. The total up to September 30 was 871,258,961 board feet, against 630,807,054 feet for the corresponding period of 1935, and 643,855,558 feet for 1934.

**NEW RECORD**

The waterborne shipments will hit a new high record this year, officials said. They do not take into account the export business by rail, which is also a considerable factor.

Gains have been recorded in practically all the major markets, especially the empire countries except Australia. The United Kingdom alone has taken 109,000,000 feet more than last year. South African purchases, a result of intensive trade promotion by lumber interests assisted by the government, have doubled.

### MAJOR MARKETS

A comparison of shipments to the province's largest markets in 1935 and 1936, during the nine-month period follows:

	1935	1936
United Kingdom	315,811,978	426,604,866
Atlantic Coast	13,061,889	108,458,257
Australia	198,475,843	92,396,754
China	65,232,137	96,879,623
South Africa	22,238,973	44,712,568
Eastern Canada	16,046,429	29,473,699
Japan	42,992,812	33,721,532
Egypt and Palestine	4,133,682	8,039,570
South West Africa	2,762,856	7,369,329
New Zealand	2,762,856	3,176,011

## Circus Proves Entertaining

**Victoria High School Presents Annual Show; Will Repeat It Tonight**

The annual circus of the Victoria High School, given last night in the school gymnasium, was a great success. The circus showed a number of large crowds "when it is repeated tonight, beginning at 7.30 o'clock."

The proceeds will go to swell the funds of the Students' Association of the Victoria High School.

The programme opened with a rousing march, followed by a dance by Georgina Dowdall, Mae Cornes, and Misses "Jacquie" and "Hattie," Eva Milne and Ruby Fowler.

David Webb presented an acrobatic dance and Betty Shadé gave an exhibition of archery.

An obstacle race, arranged by Coen William Roper and featuring matriculation students against the rest of the school, was won by the latter, consisting of William Brown, Norman Brown, Fred Smith and Tom Carney.

Norman Colvin, Colin Lucas, Clarence Lanigan and Jack Campbell ran for matric.

A comedy tight rope walking act was put on by Jeff Simmons and Harry Yates. William Whittingham gave a demonstration of ping pong.

Coach Roper's smart team of tumblers performed well. The team comprised Jack Robinson, Vincent Casson, Clarence Lanigan, Ronnie Johns and Dick Taylor.

Harvey Lowe, famous Yo-Yo expert, amazed the crowd with two Yo-Yos.

Phyllis Addison's Spanish dance won her an encore.

The High School Circus Band played several selections.

David Ansell officiated as master of ceremonies.

The following were played in the gymnasium: Ping pong challenge tournament, hoopla, indoor quoits, putting, balloon busting, baseball dart game, basketball throwing from the foul line and tennis throwing.

Among the slideshows were the hall of science, chamber of horrors, tin-types and vaudeville.

The vaudeville consisted of a play presented by the High School dramatic class, a tap dance by Hilda Jacques, accompanied at the piano by Cecile Webster; a song, "Billy Boy," by Thelma Murgatroyd, accompanied by Cecile Webster.

In the play, Walter Knott took the leading role of Harry De Reves; Frank Brown played Dick Prattle and Marjorie Lingren appeared as Fannie. Others in the play directed by Miss Ella Cameron were: Jacquelin Young, Betty Young, Betty Thatcher, Edith Drake and Denise Pottinger.

An orchestra formed of Walter Reed, Frank Brown, Tom Rhodes, Stuart Turner and Rae Miller was another part of the act.

A permit for a five-room \$2,500 dwelling at 618 St. Patrick Street, was issued this week from the Oak Bay Municipal Hall to C. W. Creighton.

## NO WORD FROM RADIO BOARD

**Junior Chamber Complaints of Non-recognition For City's Appeal**

Victoria has not received recognition from the newly-appointed officials of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, in its appeals for a hook-up on the trans-Canada radio network. William O. Findlay, secretary of the Victoria Junior Chamber of Commerce, informed members at a general meeting yesterday evening.

He said that the Junior Chamber's communications to A. R. Brockington, chairman of the board of governors, and Mrs. Nellie McClung, member of the board of governors, which were sent some time ago had not been answered. The chamber had communicated with Hon. S. F. Toimie who answered that he would campaign the cause to the best of his ability.

It was decided to allot a sum not exceeding \$20 to help defray expenses of those members wishing to attend the tenth regional convention of the United States Chambers of Commerce, to be held in Centralia, Washington, from October 30 to November 1.

The meeting went on record as endorsing the senior chamber's resolution regarding a section in the criminal code of Canada. This was: "It is unlawful and punishable by fine or imprisonment to engage in the policy of selling goods at prices unreasonably low for the purpose of destroying competition or eliminating a competitor."

The resolution also maintained that no appeal should be made to the Privy Council in London, England, as the Supreme Court of Canada has ruled on the legality of this section of the criminal code.

"The 'elbow' signs on Port and Yates Streets in the vicinity of Central Schools are a fine accomplishment," said Leslie Osborne, in sponsoring a vote of thanks to Chief of Police Thomas Heatley for the fine work he has done in trying to eliminate, as much as possible, traffic dangers to the school children. The motion was adopted unanimously.

At the same time the Chief will be requested to have the traffic lanes at the intersection of Blanshard at Yates Street repaired. Members were of the opinion that the stop sign on Port Street at Oak Bay Junction was a cause of traffic congestion, and will forward a recommendation to the City Council asking for its removal.

Conway Parrott was chosen a director to fill in the vacancy in the directorate, which was caused through the recent resignation of J. N. Findlay, president, and the subsequent promotion of vice-president T. E. Watkins. Thomas Bird and Neil McKelvie were welcomed as new members.

Hereafter meetings of the Junior Chamber will be held on the second and fourth Mondays of each month, instead of the customary second and fourth Friday. The next meeting will be held on October 26.

## SESSION PLANS MOVE AHEAD

**Hope to Have Budget Ready For Second Week, Says Premier**

After a busy day in Vancouver yesterday Premier Pattullo returned to Victoria today and plunged immediately into business having to do with the approaching session of the Legislature.

This concerns mainly the preparation of the provincial budget and consideration of the various requests for expenditures which are now before the government.

The Premier said the government was concentrating on completing the budget at the earliest possible date and hoped to have it ready for the House in the second week of the session.

In Vancouver yesterday the Premier put in a twelve-hour day visiting different provincial institutions, including the University of British Columbia, the new tuberculosis wing of the Vancouver General Hospital, which was a province-assisted project; the Kitilano High School and others.

The Premier was impressed with the organization at the Kitilano High School, which is the largest composite school of its kind in Canada. It houses 2,300 pupils from grade seven to senior matriculation.

"The Bible as Literature" will be the title of the opening lecture of the University Extension Association series, and will be held in the Girls' Central School on Monday evening at 8.15 o'clock. Dr. G. G. Sedgewick, head of the Department of English at the University of British Columbia, will deliver the lecture. A cordial invitation is extended to those interested.

Permits for two small new homes were issued in Saanich this week. One was for a five-room frame dwelling on Neil Street, valued at \$1,500, issued to W. A. Tuttle, 427 Hillside Avenue, and the other was for a four-room stucco dwelling on Whittier Avenue, valued at \$1,000, issued to W. A. Dempsey, 3298 Tennyson Street.

## Obituary

ELIZABETH C. CAMERON

The funeral of Miss Elizabeth Christina Cameron, who passed away at her home 3409 Bethune Avenue, took place this morning at 10.30 o'clock under the auspices of the Daughters of St. George, who read their burial service at the chapel. Rev. Canon F. A. P. Chadwick officiated and the congregational hymns sung were "Nearer My God to Thee" and "Abide With Me." The casket was covered with many beautiful flowers. The pallbearers were: R. H. Angus, S. J. Clark, Geo. Taylor and D. Wilson. The remains were laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

HARRIET LAWRIE

Many sorrowing friends attended the funeral of Mrs. Harriet Lawrie yesterday afternoon, Rev. O. L. Jull conducting the service, during which the hymns "Abide With Me" and "I Know That My Redeemer Lives" were sung. An abundance of beautiful floral tributes were received. The following acted as pallbearers: Henderson Lawrie, Arthur Locke, T. C. Hubbard, Walter Ford, J. Sullivan and Alfred Colby. The remains were laid to rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

ROBERT W. SHANNON

Funeral services for Robert W. Shannon, K.C., took place yesterday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock. Very Rev. S. Quinton, Dean of Columbia, officiating.

The following were the honorary pallbearers: G. McBeth, Col. G. S. Worley, G. Hamilton Harman, W. H. Norton-Taylor, John Ashworth, Harry G. Lawson and A. S. Averill. After the services, the remains were forwarded to Vancouver for cremation.

ANDREW J. BRADY

Andrew J. Brady passed away in Port Angeles on October 15. He had lived in Port Angeles for the last ten years, but was formerly of Victoria. His wife predeceased him in July. Funeral services will take place in Port Angeles.

WILLIAM H. GRANT

William H. Grant, a resident of this city for the last forty-five years, passed away this morning at St. Joseph's Hospital. Mr. Grant was born in Banffshire, Scotland, in 1855, coming to Canada at the age of fifteen, and subsequently coming west to Vancouver and Victoria in 1885. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. F. A. Willis and Mrs. A. V. Clarke, and three grandsons. The remains are resting at Thomson's Funeral Home, from where the funeral will be conducted next Tuesday afternoon.

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**Haydn's Oratorio Brilliantly Performed By Joint Choirs**

By G. J. D.

The production of Haydn's glorious conception, "The Creation," by the combined choir of the Metropolitan and Centennial Churches yesterday evening added to the lengthy fine traditions of the former and pleased a large audience of oratorio lovers. In general the performance had brilliant and at times rose to impressive heights in such as "The Morning Work," "The Heavens are Telling," which, however, at its opening somewhat dragged; "The Lord Is Great," the second chorus of "Achieved Is the Glorious Work," one of the finest accomplished, and the final "Sing Lord Ye Voices All." In the fine fugued chorus "Awake the Harp," the colossal trio and chorus "The Lord Is Great," also had energy, precision and impulse, and not only did the chorus, but the conductor, Frank Hughes, the principals, Dorothy Parsons, soprano; Dudley Wicket, tenor; and Harry Johns, bass, the organist, Edward Parsons, and Maquinn Daniels at the piano, all seemed to be imbued with the oratorio's depth of feeling, its solemnity, suitability of character and powerful, complete grasp of the subject. Wrapt attention followed each recitative, air and chorus throughout.

### THE SOLOISTS

The principals were happily chosen, with the result that the several duets and trios had good blend, care and skill. The picturesque trio, by the principals, "Most Beautiful Appear," was exquisite, and the duets, "By Thee With Bless" and "Of Stars the Fairest," by Dorothy Parsons and Harry Johns, were full of tenderness and affection and charmingly attuned.

Dorothy Parsons, in her wonderfully instinctive gift for singing, was wholly successful and was on occasions thrilling in her upper registers and most satisfactory.

The magnificent soprano air, "The Marvellous Work" was an occasion, as were two of the finest songs in the oratorio, "With Verdure Glad" and the characteristic air, "On Mighty Peaks," as it represents the creation of the birds, the swift eagle, the merry lark, etc.

Dudley Wicket improved as he went along; he, too, is naturally endowed with voice and brain, and his best effort was in the tenor air "In Nature Worth," so full of all that is pure and dignified which announces the creation of man—the formation of Eve.

In oratorio Dr. Harry Johns is always himself, where his vocal versatility, ease and naturalness are always of his very best. In "The Creation"

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the bass part predominates, and in all he did there was a convincing demonstration of a complete knowledge of the music. As, for instance, he was masterly in the recitative, "Cheerfully roars stands the tawny lion," where the "flexible tiger," the "nimble stag," the "noble steed," the "host of insects" are all introduced, and where his beautiful diction served him to the fullest purpose.

To Edward Parsons much of the success of the production is due; in that his organ accompaniments were so well rounded and about with consummate taste, style and effective, suitable organ registrations.

Mrs. Maquinn Daniels, in the piano part, collaborated splendidly and appropriately. Frank Tupman, as conductor, on such an occasion must be gratified in that his arduous rehearsals should thus meet the reward of accomplishment and success.

When he was conducted in the City Police Court this morning on a charge of being intoxicated while in charge of a car, John Parr was sentenced to seven days' imprisonment.

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# New High Reached In Active Trading On Wall St. Market

Associated Press  
New York, Oct. 17.—Again plunging into new high ground for the recovery, the stock market today showed gains of fractions to a point of more.

In an active brief session, steel, automobiles, copper and a wide assortment of specialties were prominent in the buying push. A little profit-taking appeared near the close but this did not seem especially disturbing to most leaders. Transfers were around 1,100,000 shares.

Resumption of the uptrend was attributed generally to further optimism for business prospects and less tension over Europe's troubles.

Bright forecasts for the steel industry, coupled with the expansion programme of the major corporation in this field helped to stiffen the market as a whole.

Carrier bonds were given a lift. Commodities were mixed. Foreign currencies moved in a restricted range.

Recent sharpening of the investment appetite, brokers said, has materially reduced the floating supply of numerous shares with the result of substantial buying orders is possible in some instances.

Aiding the amusement section were opinions of executives that leading moving picture companies are now "making money in every department." Rumors also were again heard of another increase in admission prices.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)  
Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:

Thirty Industrials—177.63, up 0.97.  
Twenty rails—59.85, unchanged.  
Twenty utilities—35.97, up 0.04.

Dow Jones averages at 11 o'clock this morning were as follows:

Industrials—177.65, up 0.99.  
Rails—59.82, up 0.03.  
Utilities—35.99, up 0.17.

Associated Press  
Closing exchange rates were:

At Montreal—Pound 4.88 23-32.  
U.S. dollar 99 31-32, franc 4.66.  
At New York—Pound 4.89 1-16.  
Canadian dollar 1.00 1-64, franc 4.65 1/2.

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# METALS FIRM AT TORONTO

Canadian Press  
Toronto, Oct. 17.—Base Metal stocks closed the week with a firm to strong tone, while mild weakness ruled in the golds and silvers and the oils were mainly steady.

Hudson Bay advanced 1/2 to 30 1/2 and prices were up narrowly for Alameda, Nevada and Sherrill. Moneta closed 6 cents higher at 1.55.

Pioneer recovered 15 cents of Friday's loss, Buffalo-Ankerite hit a new high at \$10 and McIntyre was a fraction higher.

(By J. W. Jones Ltd.)  
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Canadian Press  
Toronto, Oct. 17.—Demand shifted to the paper division of today's stock market and flour and Smith jumped 1 1/2 to a new peak of 17 1/2.

St. Lawrence Paper Preferred turned a point to 52, new high for a year or more, while Dryden, St. Lawrence Corporation, and Bathurst ruled steady.

Bathurst moved up to 67, best level of the present issue, but eased to hold unchanged to 66 1/2. Nickel and Noranda were about even.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)  
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## CITY AND SUBURBAN CHURCH SERVICES

## United Church of Canada

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## FAIRFIELD

"The Problem of Faith" will be the sermon topic at Fairfield Church tomorrow morning, Rev. Richmond Craig, who will conduct both services and preach the sermons.

At the evening service the minister will continue his popular evening subjects. The topic will be "Signs of the Times." The special music in the morning will include a solo, "The Praise of God" (Beethoven), by Mrs. Percy C. Richards, and an anthem, "Seek Ye the Lord" (Roberts), by the choir. In the evening Miss E. M. Swain will sing "Sun of My Soul" (Evil), and the choir will render the anthem "The Sun Shall Be No More" (Woodward).

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## Anglican

## CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

Tomorrow will be observed in all Anglican churches throughout the Dominion as "Children's Day," when offerings towards the work of religious education may be placed in special envelopes. At Christ Church Cathedral, the Bishop of Caledonia, Right Rev. Dr. G. A. Rix, will preach at matins at 11 o'clock and Dean Quainton at evensong at 7.30 o'clock. Holy communion will be celebrated at 6 a.m. and 12.15 p.m.

Under the auspices of the Cathedral Evangelistic Fellowship, new ground is about to be broken in the James Bay district. Work will centre in the Wolf Cubes Hall, 569 Michigan Street, loaned by W. J. Munroe. There will be an opening function of a social character on Thursday next at 8 p.m., a mission service on Sunday, October 25, at 7.30 p.m. The Sunday school, now meeting in the Connaught Seamen's Institute will be transferred to the new hall on Sunday, November 1.

## ST. JOHN'S

The services at St. John's Church tomorrow will consist of Holy Communion at 8 o'clock, morning prayer and sermon at 11 o'clock, and evening prayer and sermon at 7.30 o'clock. The day will be observed as "Children's Sunday" throughout Canada in the Anglican Church, and special prayers will be offered for the educational work of the church.

At the 11 o'clock service, Canon F. A. P. Chadwick will preach, making reference to the great work that is being carried out in the Sunday schools and Bible classes under the guidance of the General Board of Religious Education. In the evening there will be the usual organ recital by G. J. Burnett immediately before the service. The preacher at the evening service will be Rt. Rev. G. A. Rix, the Bishop of Caledonia, one of the chief speakers at the recent meetings of the Dominion Board of the Woman's Auxiliary held in Victoria.

## COLWOOD

The services at St. John's Colwood, tomorrow will be as follows: Holy Communion at 8 o'clock, Sunday school at 10.45 o'clock and matins at 11 o'clock; preacher, the vicar.

## LANGFORD

At St. Matthew's, Langford, tomorrow there will be boys' Bible class in the vicarage at 9.30 o'clock and harvest festival at 7 o'clock. The preacher will be the vicar. The A.Y.P.A. will meet in the vicarage on Tuesday at 8 o'clock.

## Presbyterian

Tomorrow St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church will celebrate the seventeenth anniversary of its organization as a congregation with the moderator of the General Assembly, Rt. Rev. Malcolm Campbell, D.D., of Montreal as the special preacher at both services. In the morning the moderator will dedicate a baptismal font composed of the cornerstones of the original St. Andrew's Church, which were formerly stored at the corner of Courtney and Gordon Streets and was the church home of the congregation from 1869 until 1890, when the present building was opened. The font will then be used for the first time by the moderator and the minister for the baptism of several children.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor will be represented at the morning service by Hugh Patterson Esq. The evening service will be a joint service of all the Presbyterian congregations of the city, with their respective ministers assisting the moderator.

The collector for the morning service will be Mrs. W. A. Jameson, who will sing "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth" (Handel). The choir will sing Elv's anthem "I Was Glad When They Said Unto Me." In the evening Arnold Trevellick will sing "Send Out Thy Light" (Wolcott). The evening anthem will be "I Will Give Thanks" (Hopkins).

On Monday night at 8 o'clock there will be a public meeting in the auditorium at which addresses will be given by the moderators of the presbyteries, the Synod and the Assembly, and greetings will be conveyed by Rev. E. F. Church of the Metropolitan United Church. This meeting will be followed by a social hour in the lecture room.

ST. PAUL'S

At morning worship at 11 o'clock in St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Victoria West, the minister, Rev. James Hyde, will preach from the text "Behold the Man," St. John xix 5. There will be no evening service tomorrow, the congregation joining the service at St. Andrew's, when the moderator of the General Assembly, Dr. Campbell of Montreal, will give the address.

Sunday school will meet at 9.45 a.m. Christian Endeavor will meet at 8 p.m. Monday, the junior auxiliary to the W.M.S. will meet Tuesday at 8 p.m., and on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock the regular weekly prayer and Bible study will be held.

KNOX

Rev. J. Mackie Niven will occupy the pulpit at Knox Presbyterian Church tomorrow morning. Mrs. Sydney Sherratt, soprano, will sing "Come Unto Him" (Handel). The anthem, "O Lord, My God" (Malan), will be rendered by the choir.

In the evening the congregation will amalgamate with other Presbyterian congregations of the city in a joint service at St. Andrew's Church, the occasion being the visit of the Moderator of the General Assembly.

## Other Denominations

## UNITY FELLOWSHIP

Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, Miss Evelyn Whitell will hold a healing meeting in the Chamber of Commerce Hall, under the Unity Church of Fellowship. Her subject will be "Wilt Thou Be Made Whole?" The question of why people do not get their healing will be answered in her lecture, when the power of healing through music will be demonstrated by Mrs. Gwynne Oliver, who will preside at the piano with sacred music. All who have sick friends are invited to bring in their names and healing prayers will be sent to them, no matter what the distance.

In the evening, at 7.30 o'clock, Evangelist Haradine will give a lecture on "Why Don't We Demonstrate?" and will endeavor to show people why they make failures of their lives through lack of co-operation with the law.

## MISSIONARY ALLIANCE

At the Christian and Missionary Alliance Tabernacle, Yates Street, Rev. Daniel Walker will be the preacher tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. His subject will be "God Working and the Good Purposes of His Will in the Life of the Believer Through the Circumstances That We Pass Through." At the evening service at 7.30 o'clock he will preach on "Are We Living in the Last Day Before the Coming of Jesus Christ?" Sunday school and Bible class will meet at 1.30 o'clock. Prayer meeting will be held Tuesday at 8 o'clock, women's missionary service Wednesday at 2.45 o'clock; Bible school Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock, and fellowship service on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

## TRUTH CENTRE

At the Victoria Truth Centre tomorrow morning W. Newell Weston will have for his topic "The Potency of Principles." There will be a solo by Frank Ivings, "Thanks Be to God" (Stanley Dickson). Sunday school will meet at 11 o'clock.

In the evening at 7.30 o'clock Mr. Weston's topic will be "Prayer and Prosperity." There will be a solo by Miss Ethel Bale, "Cast Thy Burden" (Durham). The Young People's Society will have an open meeting on Tuesday evening. The subject of the Wednesday-evening meeting at 8 o'clock will be "Healing of All Things," and of the Friday evening meeting at the same hour, "Fundamentals of Truth."

## PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY

A special rally day service of the Pentecostal Sunday school, Broad Street, will be held tomorrow morning at 9.45 o'clock and the public is invited to attend, including children and young people. The programme will be of interest to the home and the family.

## CITY TEMPLE

Rev. E. McQueen will be the pulpit guest at the Victoria City Temple tomorrow morning, when he will speak on the subject, "Rock of Ages." G. A. Hadden will be the speaker at the evening service, and his subject will be "The King's Messenger."

"The anthems for the day will include 'Teach Me, O Lord' (T. Attwood) in the morning, and 'The Earth is the Lord's' (J. F. Ohi) in the evening.

## GRACE LUTHERAN

Service will be held as usual tomorrow at Grace Lutheran Church at 11 o'clock, with a sermon by the pastor, Rev. Edwin Bracher. At 7.45 o'clock the theme of the sermon will be "Christ's Sacrificial Death."

## GUILD OF HEALTH

A general meeting of the Canadian Guild of Health will be held in the chapel of the Memorial Hall on Wednesday next at 8 p.m. The Dean of Columbia will give an address. Members are asked to note particularly that the meeting will be held on Wednesday and not on Tuesday as heretofore.

## VICTORIA CORPS

In observance of a day of intercession for the church of God throughout the world, there will be a special church service at 7.30 a.m. in the Salvation Army Citadel, Broad Street, and periods of prayer in the morning and afternoon meetings.

The subject of Adjutant Ede's address in the morning will be "Examples of Prayer." A memorial service will be held at 7.30 o'clock for Sister Mrs. Hayes, who passed away on Thursday. Adjutant Ede will lead and speak on "Promoted to Glory." Preceding the evening meeting there will be a slow march from Yates and Douglas Streets to the Citadel, headed by the Citadel band.

## LANGFORD

The quarterly meeting of St. Matthew's church committee was held Thursday evening at the vicarage. Rev. A. M. Acheson Lyle presided. Regret was expressed at the approaching departure of the vicar, who terminates his work in the parish November 30.

A general meeting of the Prince Edward Branch No. 91, Canadian Legion, will be held in the club rooms on Monday, October 19, at 8.30 o'clock. Rev. A. M. Acheson Lyle will give a talk on the Vimy Pilgrimage.

The W.A. to the Prince Edward branch will meet in the club room on Monday at 8.30 o'clock. Mrs. E. F. Gould, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Hawley of Point Grey, has returned to her home on the Island Highway.

St. Matthew's Church boys' Bible class will resume meetings on Sunday at 9.30 o'clock at the vicarage.

A town in tropical Africa has written to the University of California to know how to use electrically-charged light traps in killing malaria mosquitoes.

## FAREWELL SOCIAL

A farewell social will be given for the Rev. F. and Mrs. Comley on Wednesday, October 21, at 8 o'clock, by the joint congregations of St. Michael's and St. Columba. All parishioners are asked to accept this invitation to attend.

## Baptist

## EMMANUEL

At the Emmanuel Baptist Church tomorrow the pastor, Rev. Dr. Andrew S. Imrie, will preach at both services. The topic of his morning sermon will be "The Revelation of the Glory of God," and in the evening he will give a challenging sermon on "The Divine Call to Service." The choir under the leadership of W. H. Muncy, will sing "While the Earth Remains" (Mauder) in the morning service and the evening anthem will be "Sing, O Sing, and Magnify the Lord" (Root).

Special meetings for the week will include the Wednesday evening service at 8 o'clock for Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock and men's prayer circle on Saturday evening at 7.30 o'clock. On Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the B.Y.P.U., an illustrated lecture on "Palestine" will be given by Rev. A. Danks of Chemainus.

## CENTRAL

The explanation of current events and prophecy will mark the studies in the Book of Revelation now being given at Central Baptist Church. Sunday evenings by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Rowell. This series of sermons, on the book which has puzzled so many, is entitled "God's Great Unveiling." Tomorrow evening the subject will be "The Seven Golden Lampstands and the One in the Midst—An Explanation of Revelation 1-9-20." One of the questions to be answered is "What are the keys of hell and death?"

At the morning service the pastor's subject will be "The Overcomer's Be of Good Cheer." The Lord's Supper will be observed at the close of the service.

A lantern lecture entitled "A Missionary Journey Through Peru and Argentina," illustrating the life, customs and missionary activities, will be given on Friday evening next at 8 o'clock by Rev. Chas. Cook, representative of the Evangelical Union of South America.

## FIRST

Using the story of the life of Moses to illustrate the truth that God unceasingly watches over those who put their trust in Him, Rev. G. A. Reynolds, at First Baptist Church tomorrow morning, will preach on the topic, "Personal Care of God From Birth to Death," basing his discourse on Deut. xxxii 16. The choir will render the anthem, "Thou Crownest the Year" (Simper), and there will also be a male quartette, Messrs. Honeychurch, Dinmore, Jackman and Collier, singing "Thy Will, Not Mine, O God" (Bonar).

At the evening service the minister will preach on "Penitence, Pardon, Penalty," showing that while the sin of David was pardoned he suffered the penalty in the death of his son. The choir will sing, "Hope Thou in God" (Pattison).

Only Chance

The curate prided himself on his oratorical powers. He was describing the downward path of the sinner, and used the metaphor of a ship drifting and going to pieces on the rocks.

A sailor in the audience was deeply interested.

"The waves dash over!" cried the curate. "Her sails are split! Her yards are gone! Her masts are shivered! Her helm is useless! She is driving ashore. There seems no hope! Can nothing be done to save her?"

The sailor rose in his seat, his eyes wide with excitement.

"Let go the anchor," he shouted.

CHRISTADELPHIANS

CHRISTADELPHIANS—Shrine Temple, View St. Public lecture, Sunday, 7.30 p.m. "Life Only in Christ." All welcome. Jessie A. Longfield.

CHRISTADELPHIANS, ORANGE HALL, Courtney St. Morning, 11 a.m.; evening, 7.30 p.m. Subject, "The Word of the Lord." All welcome.

OSKLANDS GOSPEL HALL, HILLSIDE

Public lecture, Sunday, 10 a.m. Bible study, 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. Gospel service, Monday, 7.45 p.m. of Glasgow, Scotland. Mr. Downie will also continue his Special Series of addresses on "From Egypt to Canada." Lessons from the Scriptures of the children of Israel, illustrated by large pictures, at 8 p.m. and will also address the Women's Gospel Meeting on Thursday, at 2.30 p.m.

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SPRITUALIST

FIRST SPIRITUALIST CHURCH, 306 BAY ST. Sunday, 11 a.m., 7.30 p.m. Holder, Messages, Monday, 7.45 p.m. Sunday Service, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS (FERN ST., OFF FORT). Sunday: Meeting for worship, 11 a.m.

OTHER DENOMINATIONS

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH, QUEEN'S ST. and Blanshard, Pastor, Rev. Edwin Bracher. Services, 11 a.m. and 7.45 p.m.

VICTORIA THEOLOGICAL SOCIETY—Public meeting, James Building, Fort Street, 8 p.m. Subject, "The Christian World." Study class, Friday, 8 o'clock.

Emmanuel Baptist Church

Gladsion Avenue, at Fernwood. Services, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Pastor—REV. DR. A. S. IMRIE

Centennial United Church

Gorge Road, Near Government St. Minister—Rev. Andrew D. Reid, D.D. 11 a.m.—"The Claims of Missions Upon Us"

Soloist—Mrs. T. Southern

7.30 p.m.—"THE SACRED NAME" Soloist—Mrs. Gladys Stark

## British-Israel

## B-I. ASSOCIATION

Mrs. Hamilton of Vancouver will be the special speaker at the Victoria and District British-Israel Association meeting at the Foresters' Hall on Tuesday at 8 p.m. She has been very active for many years in the British-Israel cause, and has been the organizer of several of the city branches in Vancouver.

At present she is the leader of a number of Bible study classes, and at the last provincial convention was appointed leader of the prayer league for B.C. Her subject on this occasion will be "The Messiah in the Pyramid." The following meetings are scheduled to take place in Victoria and district next week, all starting at 8 o'clock, except where otherwise stated: Sunday, 10 a.m., Empire Theatre, Sunday school and Bible classes, leader, N. Y. Cross; Monday, Garden City Church hall, speaker, Mrs. O. A. Braker; Middleton Guild, Campbell Building, Tuesday, Victoria and District B-I. Association, Foresters Hall, Mrs. Hamilton, "The Messiah in the Pyramid"; Sooke branch, Sooke, Wednesday, Prospect Lake home of Mrs. Hewitt, speaker, Mrs. Hamilton, "The Lord's Portion"; Thursday, British-Israel World-wide Prayer League, Cridge Memorial Hall, Radio broadcast, CJOR, Sunday, 5.15 p.m.; Tuesday, CKMO, 7.30 p.m., and CPCT, Tuesday, 7.15 p.m.

## MIDDLETON GUILD

"The Fascist Conquest of Spain and World Catastrophe; The Situation Which Faces the British and Dominion Governments" will be the subject of E. E. Richards' address for Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Campbell Building, under the auspices of the British-Israel World Federation.

In speaking on the apparent conquest of Spain, following that of Ethiopia, Mr. Richards will point to the serious situation which would arise if France should be the next to fall to the hands of the Fascists. The speaker will warn that a challenge is coming to the very existence of the British Empire; in such a case, he will ask: What will be the position and attitude of Canada? Is an enemy occupation of Vancouver Island and Nova Scotia possible? Will the coast cities of British Columbia and the Atlantic seaboard be destroyed?

Mr. Richards will claim that there is only one element of safety, and that Canada must not be deceived out of it.

## Only Chance

The curate prided himself on his oratorical powers. He was describing the downward path of the sinner, and used the metaphor of a ship drifting and going to pieces on the rocks.

A sailor in the audience was deeply interested.

"The waves dash over!" cried the curate. "Her sails are split! Her yards are gone! Her masts are shivered! Her helm is useless! She is driving ashore. There seems no hope! Can nothing be done to save her?"

The sailor rose in his seat, his eyes wide with excitement.

"Let go the anchor," he shouted.

## CHRISTADELPHIANS

CHRISTADELPHIANS—Shrine Temple, View St. Public lecture, Sunday, 7.30 p.m. "Life Only in Christ." All welcome. Jessie A. Longfield.

CHRISTADELPHIANS, ORANGE HALL, Courtney St. Morning, 11 a.m.; evening, 7.30 p.m. Subject, "The Word of the Lord." All welcome.

## OSKLANDS GOSPEL HALL, HILLSIDE

Public lecture, Sunday, 10 a.m. Bible study, 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. Gospel service, Monday, 7.45 p.m. of Glasgow, Scotland. Mr. Downie will also continue his Special Series of addresses on "From Egypt to Canada." Lessons from the Scriptures of the children of Israel, illustrated by large pictures, at 8 p.m. and will also address the Women's Gospel Meeting on Thursday, at 2.30 p.m.

VICTORIA GOSPEL HALL, 625 PANDORA AVENUE, Sunday school and Bible class, 7.30 p.m., gospel speaker, Mr. G. Parsons. Wednesday, 7.45 p.m., prayer and Bible study. Come, all are welcome.

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## Pilots' Lookout

Celtic Monarch, docked Victoria,  
for lumber, at midnight.

Empress of Canada, sailed from  
Vancouver, 11 a.m.; due Victoria 4  
p.m., to sail for Honolulu and Orient  
ports, 5:30 p.m.

Nereus, at Ogden Point.

Empress of Russia, due William  
Head, bound Victoria, from Orient  
ports, Wednesday, 6:30 a.m.

## Capt. Mollison Testing Plane

Wilmington, Del., Oct. 17.—Major  
James A. Mollison yesterday made his  
first flight alone in his low-winged  
monoplane "Fishy" in which he  
plans to fly from Newfoundland to  
the British Isles in eleven hours, and  
in which he hopes also to break ex-  
isting records for the 7,000-mile flight  
from London to Capetown.

In a test flight made Thursday  
with Richard Dorey Morgan as the  
pilot, Mollison said the plane  
made 272 miles an hour "and the pre-  
liminary tests were quite satis-  
fying."

Pilot Mollison plans to take off this  
week-end for New York to prepare for  
the flight to Harbor Grace.

## SAILORS INJURED

Sasebo, Japan, Oct. 17.—More than  
a dozen officers and sailors were seri-  
ously injured today by an explosion  
in the engine room of the cruiser  
Tura undergoing repairs here.

Authorities began an investigation  
of the blast, which they said might  
have been caused purposely.

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## TO CELEBRATE SEA VICTORY

Sea Cadets to Hoist Lord  
Nelson's Signals and  
Veterans to Hold Dinner

Next Wednesday will be the anni-  
versary of the Battle of Trafalgar,  
when Lord Nelson won his great sea  
victory for the English, and Victo-  
ria's young sailors and retired offi-  
cers and seamen will duly celebrate  
the great occasion.

Members of the Rainbow Sea Cadet  
Corps will hoist Lord Nelson's signals  
in Parliament Square on Wednesday  
morning at 10 o'clock.

His Honor the Lieut.-Governor  
and Mrs. Hamber, Brigadier J. D.  
McDonald, district officer command-  
ing at Work Point Barracks, Com-  
mander C. T. Beard and Commander  
J. E. W. Oland of the Canadian Navy;  
Dr. J. D. Hunter of the City Council;  
Dr. G. M. Weir, Minister of Educa-  
tion; L.O.D.E. standard-bearers, Girl  
Guides, Boy Scouts and Cubs will be  
in attendance.

The Cadet Band will play the royal  
salute at the arrival and departure  
of the gubernatorial party. The  
signals will be hoisted to the admi-  
ral's salute.

Lieut.-Governor Hamber and Dr.  
Weir are expected to address the  
boys.

Members of the corps are asked to  
be in their places by 9:45 o'clock,  
guests by 9:50 o'clock. The Lieut.-  
Governor will arrive at 9:55 o'clock.

Next Saturday the Sea Cadets will  
hold their annual tag day on the  
streets of the business section.

Next Wednesday at 7 o'clock in the  
evening, in the Hudson's Bay Com-  
pany's dining-room, the annual Tra-  
falgar Day dinner will be held under  
the auspices of the Naval Veterans  
Branch No. 42 of the Canadian  
Legion.

## Deep-sea Movements

### TO ARRIVE

EMPEROR OF RUSSIA, Orient ports,  
October 19.

EMPEROR OF JAPAN, Orient ports,  
October 19.

EMPEROR OF CANADA, Orient ports,  
October 19.

EMPEROR OF AUSTRALIA, Orient ports,  
October 19.

EMPEROR OF AFRICA, Orient ports,  
October 19.

EMPEROR OF ASIA, Orient ports,  
October 19.

EMPEROR OF AMERICA, Orient ports,  
October 19.

EMPEROR OF EUROPE, Orient ports,  
October 19.

EMPEROR OF OCEANIA, Orient ports,  
October 19.

EMPEROR OF ANTARCTICA, Orient ports,  
October 19.

### TO SAIL

EMPEROR OF CANADA, Honolulu and  
Orient ports, October 17.

EMPEROR OF RUSSIA, Orient ports,  
October 17.

EMPEROR OF JAPAN, Orient ports,  
October 17.

EMPEROR OF CANADA, Orient ports,  
October 17.

EMPEROR OF AUSTRALIA, Orient ports,  
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EMPEROR OF AFRICA, Orient ports,  
October 17.

EMPEROR OF ASIA, Orient ports,  
October 17.

EMPEROR OF AMERICA, Orient ports,  
October 17.

EMPEROR OF EUROPE, Orient ports,  
October 17.

EMPEROR OF OCEANIA, Orient ports,  
October 17.

EMPEROR OF ANTARCTICA, Orient ports,  
October 17.

### Tide Table

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Oct 17	10:15	4:15	Oct 18	10:15	4:15
Oct 19	10:15	4:15	Oct 20	10:15	4:15
Oct 21	10:15	4:15	Oct 22	10:15	4:15
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Oct 27	10:15	4:15	Oct 28	10:15	4:15
Oct 29	10:15	4:15	Oct 30	10:15	4:15
Oct 31	10:15	4:15	Nov 1	10:15	4:15

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main harbor. The figures for low water  
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## DOWN THE GANGWAY

Ss. Empress of Canada Sail-  
ing With Hundreds of  
Passengers—New Canadian  
Minister, German  
Ambassador and Titled  
Folk Are Aboard—Three  
Newly-wedded Couples Go-  
ing to Honolulu—Business  
Men to Visit Orient Coun-  
tries on Buying Trips

With a passenger list sprinkled  
with distinguished names and in-  
cluding a large group of holiday-  
makers, the Canadian Pacific  
liner Empress of Canada, Capt. J.  
F. Patrick, will get away from the  
Outer Docks late this after-  
noon for Honolulu and the  
Orient. She will take out one of  
the largest lists of the season,  
a total of close to 600 passengers.  
Eighty-five of them will disem-  
bark at Honolulu next Thursday  
to spend the winter months in the  
Hawaiian Islands.

The day is perfect for the departure  
of a white Empress. She will get  
away just as the sun is setting, her  
decks swarming with passengers, her  
orchestra playing and crowds waving  
farewell from the docks.

Hon. R. Randolph Bruce, former  
Lieutenant-Governor of British  
Columbia, is off today on the Em-  
press for Tokyo where he will  
assume his new duties as Cana-  
dian Minister to Japan. He is  
accompanied by Mrs. Bruce. He  
will take up residence in the fine  
new Canadian Legation, built  
when Sir Herbert Marler was Min-  
ister. One of Mr. Bruce's first  
duties will be the official call at  
the Imperial Palace where he will  
present his credentials to Em-  
peror Hirohito. Mr. Bruce went  
to Japan a few years ago when  
he made the world cruise on the  
Empress of Britain.

In Mr. Bruce's party will be E.  
D'Arcy McGee, who will become  
second secretary at the Canadian Leg-  
ation. He was recently transferred  
from Washington and will be accom-  
panied across the Pacific by Mrs.  
McGee and their four children.

Also in the Bruce party will be  
Lady Rosalind Northcote, sister-in-  
law of Mr. Bruce, who is going to  
Japan to gather material for a book.  
She is the eldest daughter of the  
second Earl of Iddlesleigh and visited  
government house in Victoria during  
the Bruce regime.

On a world trip, Sir Anthony St.  
John-Mildmay, the eighth baronet,  
and Lady Mildmay are sailing by the  
Empress of Canada after a visit to  
British Columbia. They will see the  
Orient and India before returning to  
their English home, Hillsborough  
House, Chertsey, Surrey, in the spring.  
Sir Anthony was born August 13, 1894,  
and succeeded his father to the title  
in 1929. He was educated at Eton  
and the Royal Military College at  
Sandhurst. He is one of England's  
great property holders, owning about  
10,000 acres.

Another titled Englishman sailing  
by the Empress today is Lieut.-Col.  
Sir Richard Durand Temple, third  
baronet.

Oskar P. Trautman, German  
Ambassador to China, who  
crossed the Atlantic last week by  
the Ss. Bremen, is going out  
aboard the Empress with Mrs.  
Trautman to resume his duties  
in the German Embassy in Peking  
after a summer in the Father-  
land.

Others going to the Orient  
include J. H. Geare, assistant  
manager of the Standard Vacuum Oil  
Company at Hongkong; T. E. Pearce,  
manager of the Hongkong and Shang-  
hai Banking Corporation at Hong-  
kong; P. A. Cox, retired assistant  
manager of the Canadian Pacific  
oil returning to Hongkong to see  
friends; J. R. Floyd, manager of the  
American Empress at Manila; Dr. Gyl  
Fang Wu, president of Yimling Col-  
lege at Nanking; Eleanor Hardisty-  
Smith, relative of Canada's famous  
late Lord Strathcona; H. M. Mann,  
manager of Arnhold and Company at  
Shanghai; S. Stephens, manager of  
the shipping department of the Ris-  
ing Sun Petroleum Company at Yoko-  
hama; I. Ovidia, manager of E. D.  
Sassoon and Company at Shanghai;  
R. J. Gilliland, manager of the Mani-  
la Electric Company and L. E. W.  
Ryan, freight agent for the Canadian  
Pacific at Hongkong.

Three newly-wedded couples  
will make their wedding trips  
aboard the Empress of Canada to  
Honolulu. They are Mr. and Mrs.  
David Ryal, who were married in Vic-  
toria this afternoon, and Fred-  
erick Niven, noted Scottish-Cana-  
dian author and Mrs. Niven of  
Nelson.

Others booked for Hawaii include  
Miss Margaret Riggs of Vancouver,  
Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McBride of Seat-  
tle; Miss Vera May, returning to her  
Honolulu home; Fred Seymour, Chi-  
cago, president of Horner's Station-  
ery stores and executive officer of the  
Stationers Corporation of America;  
O'Malley of Cochrane, Alberta;  
Walter C. Hoyt, the former Pittsburgh  
pilot and Mrs. Hoyt and R. L. Lowe,  
purchasing agent for the Canadian  
Pacific at Siam.

## Sunrise and Sunset

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## Up for a Breather After Four Hours Below



## Famous Sealer to "Swallow Anchor"

Usually their job is handling cargo,  
but these boys have spent the last  
few days shoveling smouldering coal  
from the black, dusty bunkers of  
the Greek freighter Nereus, now at  
the Ogden Point piers. Work started  
Thursday at noon and has been pro-  
ceeding day-and-night since.

It will probably be tomorrow noon  
before the last of approximately 1,000  
tons of coal has been transferred to  
barges alongside the ship. The job  
is a dirty one, but the men go below,  
into the smoke and gas cheerfully,  
and remain there four hours, coming  
up every half hour or so for some  
fresh air.

They get pretty thirsty and drink  
quantities of milk, which is better  
for the stomach under such condi-  
tions, than water.

Only gas masks would keep the  
smoke from their nostrils. These are  
not being used, but the workmen  
wear grain masks, which keep the  
dust away.

In the picture, taken on the logs  
on the vessel's foredeck, are H. Mon-  
aghan, Bill Blair, M. Cook, A. Masie,  
Johnny Quinn, George Balfour, S.  
Barker and C. A. Adams.

The grizzled commodore of the  
fleet which each spring sails out of  
Saint John into the ice floes in  
search of seals, has done what no  
other man has achieved and now,  
having passed his eightieth year, he  
believes he deserves a rest on shore  
while younger men go to track down  
the elusive but lucrative "main  
patch," the quest of every seal killer.

For forty-seven consecutive seasons,  
Capt. Kean has gone to the ice in  
the old wooden walls of Newfoundland  
land or as in later years, aboard the  
modern steel steamers which also  
bear honorable scars of battle with  
the floes.

Achieved Fame  
Two years ago he won world fame  
and was honored by his King when  
he achieved the triumph of becoming  
"a millionaire in seals." It was a  
triumph that set whistles a-blowing  
in Saint John and as the fleet re-  
turned, it seemed, turned out to cheer  
the mighty seal hunter.

And well they might grow hoarse  
in cheering. For the old commodore  
had brought back, down through the  
years, 1,007,119 seals. In that year,  
the fleet under his command had  
returned with 227,390 seals worth  
\$500,000.

Those hardened seal-killers of the  
outposts, who sailed with him, called  
him "Jowler," highest honor the seal  
hunt can bestow.

For the outstanding feat and long  
service to the seal industry, the late  
King-George V. mentioned the former  
Minister of Fisheries in his birthday  
list. The Newfoundland Board of  
Trade presented him with a souvenir  
flag and a beautifully carved model  
of his beloved Terra Nova which he  
skipped over his shoulder.

Commenting on his retirement, the  
St. John's News says: "It would be  
unusual if a man of Captain Abram  
Kean's courage and energy were to  
meet gladly the inevitable hour of  
retirement from a career in which he  
spent the greatest part of his life  
and in the pursuit of which he had  
achieved a fame that spread far  
beyond his native shores."

"But Captain Kean has passed his  
eightieth year and sealing is an  
arduous profession that often makes  
terrible demands upon those who bear  
the responsibility of command. It  
cannot be construed as the slightest  
reflection upon the commodore's  
mental or physical fitness that at his  
age, it may be felt that he should  
go into honorable retirement, passing  
over his command to a younger man."

NEVER SMOKES OR DRINKS  
In an interview the old commodore  
spoke of his fitness: "I probably have  
had as many hardships as any other  
man in Newfoundland, but I take  
good care of myself, and get plenty  
of outdoor exercise."

"I have never had a drink of liquor  
in my life and have yet to have my  
first smoke, but I'm not opposed to  
a man who smokes and takes a drink.  
But it's really a waste of money."

He went to sea when he was a lad  
of thirteen and knows every job in  
sealing, from peevish-climbing on the  
ice to the nauseating stench of skin-  
ning on the foredeck.

Now, retiring from the inordinate  
responsibilities of a sealing command,  
he reflects on his past glories while  
his countrymen wish him "many  
years of health and happiness."

And next spring when the Terra  
Nova, the Ungava, Neptune, Imogene,  
Eagle, Thetis, Cariboo and Ranger  
head north from Saint John, worthy  
successors aboard will carry on his  
tradition of Viking courage.

## Coastwise Sailings

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Do You Know?  
Capt. Victor Jacobson, Ship-  
wrecked Many Times In  
His Youth, Who Now  
Leads a Quiet Life and  
Builds Boats and Tends  
Shop

Nearly everyone in Victoria has  
heard of Capt. Victor Jacobson.  
He was one of Victoria's most  
famous sealers and fishermen in  
days gone by. He was well-known  
in the business life of the city,  
too, and when he was not at sea,  
he was in town.

But in recent years he has lived  
more or less a quiet life, being con-  
tent to remain at home in Esquimalt,  
helping his young-voiced wife in her  
tiny store on Head Street or building  
or repairing a small boat, which he  
still does with the hand of an expert.

So Capt. Jacobson's activities of  
the last forty years may seem of  
so much interest for the oldtime  
know all about them and the young  
folk probably do not particularly  
care.

But the story of Capt. Jacob-  
son's first days at sea is an exciting  
one. Told by him it becomes almost  
a saga. What a remarkable memory  
the man has! Not one detail has  
he forgotten.

Capt. Jacobson was born in Finland  
in 1862. His father was a shipbuilder  
and young Jacobson never intended  
to go to sea, planning to follow in  
his father's footsteps. But his father  
was killed and his mother was left  
with six children, on a small farm. So  
the only thing for Victor was to go  
to sea.

"I never had a day's schooling in  
my life, except what my mother  
taught me," he said yesterday when  
going back in memory nearly seventy  
years. "I had long hair, when I secured  
my first job on a sailing ship called  
the Hopet-at-43-a-month. I found  
I had to do the cooking and the  
cleaning. I was thrifteen at the time  
and the first thing the mate did when  
I went aboard was to clip my hair.

In those days we had only one shirt  
and we were very likely to have a  
crawler. I thought my clipped head  
was the biggest disgrace."

The Hopet was clearing a Finnish  
ship on Victor's first trip when she  
ran into an English ship and cut her  
in two, taking out the whole stern.

She proceeded to Barrow in Furness  
and was seized, being forced to re-  
main there six months before the  
case was cleared in Admiralty Court.

And then the Hopet proceeded to  
South Carolina, struck a great hur-  
ricane, sprang a leak and had to be  
rebuilt in New York.

A few months later, again in the  
north Atlantic, she ran into another  
hurricane, was swamped and turned  
nearly half over.

"The first one to get drunk and  
make it easy to die was the captain,"  
Capt. Jacobson says. "We had no  
boats. They were all swept away. We  
made a raft. All our grub was  
gone and fresh water as well. We had  
a little dry biscuit. The third day  
a whale came along and picked us  
up, landing us in the Azores. We  
had a month there, and what a  
beautiful place it was."

And then came another shipwreck  
for Victor Jacobson. He was on a  
ship entering the harbor at Gothen-  
burg, Sweden, when the ship was  
cut in two. Over 200 souls were lost.  
Jacobson happened to be in the one  
boat that got ashore.

"If it hadn't been a fine clear night  
we all would have been lost," he said.  
Jacobson stayed ashore for three  
years and then signed on a German  
brigantine, whose captain was as  
brutal as the skipper of the Bounty.

The mate was treated so brutally  
that he died.

In 1880 Capt. Jacobson landed in  
Victoria aboard the sailing ship City  
of Quebec, after a voyage of 165 days,  
via Cape Horn. He entered the seal-  
ing trade, became owner of the  
schooner Minnie and was very suc-  
cessful, until—sailed by the British  
States Government. He last went fish-  
ing to the Bering Sea in 1920.

So the story of Capt. Jacobson's  
life reads something like a boy's  
thriller. And it is all true.

LLOYD GEORGE TO CRUISE  
London, Oct. 17 (Associated Press).  
Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, war-  
time British Prime Minister, an-  
nounced yesterday he would sail in  
November for a West Indies cruise.

Parades for the week ending Oc-  
tober 24: Tuesday, October 20—All  
classes parade at drill hall, practice  
for Trafalgar Day parade; Wednesday,  
October 21—Guard, parade, 0630  
hours behind the post office. Color  
party parade at flag staff in front  
of Parliament Buildings at 0930  
hours; Friday, October 23—All classes  
parade at drill hall. Special fleet  
manoeuvre class.

Duties for the week ending Oc-  
tober 24: Officer of the watch, W.O.  
P. Piddington; duty watch, White  
Division; duty bugler, No. 19 B.S.  
T. Drysdale; quartermaster, Tuesday,  
No. 40 L.S. A. D. Hardy; quartermas-  
ter, Friday, No. 34 L.S. S. Gurney.

Cdt. L. Ferguson is taken on  
strength and posted to the recruits  
division.

Cdt. T. Cadwallader, having left  
the corps, is struck off strength.

**MAILS**

**BRITISH**  
Close 1 p.m., October 19, Ss. Empress  
of Britain.  
Mail intended for transmission via New  
York should be so marked. When sent  
by air over United States lines, mail may  
be posted three days later than the dates  
indicated.

**WEST INDIES GENERALLY**  
Close 1 p.m., October 16.  
Mail intended for transmission via New  
York should be so marked. When sent  
by air over United States lines, mail may  
be posted three days later than the dates  
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**AIRMAIL SCHEDULE**  
Close: Victoria, 3:30 p.m. daily, except  
Sundays and holidays. Arrive: Chicago,  
10:30 a.m. next day; New York, 4:30 a.m.  
next day; San Francisco, 2:30 a.m. next  
day; Los Angeles, 3:30 a.m. next day.  
Close: 1:15 p.m. next day; London,  
Ottawa, 1:15 p.m. next day; Toronto,  
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**HONOLULU**  
Close: 11:15 a.m., October 17, 20, 24,  
27, 31, November 4, 7, 10, via San Fran-  
cisco.  
Close: 8:30 a.m., Tuesdays, air mail  
via China Clipper (25c in ounce).  
Close: 4 p.m., November 1, Ss. Empress  
of Canada.

**AUSTRALIA AND NEW  
ZEALAND**  
Close: 4 p.m., October 18, Manganui  
via San Francisco; due Wellington, Novem-  
ber 9. Arrive: Auckland, November 5.  
Close: 4 p.m., November 4, Arrang-  
ing to sail for Australia; Sydney, Novem-  
ber 28.

**CHINA AND JAPAN**  
Close: 4 p.m., October 17, Ss. Empress  
of Asia; due Yokohama, October 14; Shang-  
hai, October 15. Arrive: Yokohama, 8 a.m.  
next day; San Francisco, 2:30 a.m. next  
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Shanghai, November 3; Hongkong, Novem-  
ber 13.

**GULF ISLANDS**  
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ber 13.

**YUKON AND ALASKA**  
Close: 1 p.m., October 19, 22, November  
12, 15, via Seattle, Wash.  
Close: 4 p.m., October 16, 22, 25, Novem-  
ber 6, via Seattle, Wash.

**ALASKA MAILS**  
Yukon from Seattle, 9 a.m., October 19.  
Princess of Wales from Vancouver, 9 p.m.,  
October 19.  
Yukon from Seattle, 9 a.m., October 24.  
Alaska from Seattle, 9 a.m., October 1.  
Princess of Wales from Vancouver, 9 p.m.,  
November 13.

**WEST COAST**  
Close 10 p.m., 1st, 11th and 21st each  
month, for Alouette, Bamfield, Cape  
Clayton, Clifton, Enderby, Esquimalt,  
Kaisa, Kildonan, Kysnoet, Nootka, Port  
Alberni, Port Ren



VICTORIA, B.C., SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1936

# AROUND THE WORLD IN A HURRY

Del Cano was first man to circumnavigate globe, taking 1,083 days; then Drake took honor; Jules Verne popularized world-circling with his "Around the World in Eighty Days"; a woman went out and did it in seventy-two days; three reporters now whizzing around to break Mear's mark of twenty-four days

## Victoria Strategic Point In Derby When Steamers Used

By ARCHIE WILLS

FOUR HUNDRED YEARS ago a naturalized Spaniard, Ferdinand Magellan, who was born a Portuguese, sold to Charles V of Spain the idea of reaching the Spice Islands, now called the Moluccas, lying between Borneo and New Guinea, by sailing westward instead of by the customary route around the Cape of Good Hope.

On August 10, 1519, Magellan with five ships and 270 men, sailed from Seville, Spain. He shaped a course southward across the Atlantic, seeking a passage through South America into the Pacific. He was fooled by the LaPlata estuary, but continued further southward until he entered a strait which was later to be known as Magellan.

The explorer and his little ships spent ninety-eight days crossing the Pacific. They ran short of provisions and ate ox-hides, sawdust, and even helped themselves to the rats that were aboard. On March 16, 1521, the little fleet sighted the Samar Islands, now known as the Philippines.

Magellan's fighting instinct asserted itself and he allied himself with the King of Cebu. In previous wars Magellan had been wounded several times, but his fight in the Philippines was his last. He was killed on April 27, 1521.

Only one of the five ships that had sailed from Seville was seaworthy by this time. It was the Victoria, commanded by Juan Sebastian Del Cano, who earlier had made passages to the Spice Islands by way of Cape of Good Hope. He decided to return to Spain by this route and thereby be the first man to circumnavigate the globe.

Del Cano piloted the sturdy little craft safely home, but only thirty-one of the 270 who sailed two years before, survived. The first voyage around the world took 1,083 days.

Ever since then, men, and in isolated cases, women have been trying to circle the world in steadily reduced time.

Right now two men and a woman are engaged in a mad dash from New York City to New York City in twenty days. They are using only available means of transportation, principally the airplane.

### LOOKING BACKWARD

But let us back up a few centuries and see who was the first to challenge Del Cano's record for girdling the globe. Sir Francis Drake, that doughty old seadog of Britain, set his eyes on it in 1577 and he was back home in Blighty three years later with a new record. He was just 1,052 days getting around!

In those days there was little profit for the individual in such voyages. There were no vaudeville or radio contracts or opportunities to sell the story to a magazine. There was nothing but hardship. So possibly that is the reason that much time elapsed before another effort was made to whirl around the world.

Jules Verne published his famous book, "Around the World in Eighty Days." Phineas Fogg was the hero of the story.

People in stuffy Victorian drawing-rooms sniffed and avowed that it couldn't be done, that it was just another pipe dream of the fantastic Frenchman.

### NELLIE BLY SHOWS HOW

In 1889, The New York World had a girl reporter, Elizabeth Cochran, who wrote feature stories under the name of Nellie Bly. She was only twenty-one, "about as big as a minute and prettier than she should be."

One day her editor assigned her to try the impossible stunt which Verne had described in his fanciful book, and to "lop off four or five days if possible."

With practically no advance preparations at all, Nellie Bly sailed all alone, for Europe. And when she came back, seventy-two days, six hours, and eleven minutes later, she not only had broken Verne's fictional record, but she was a national heroine.

That started it. Within a year her record was broken by another adventurous traveler and others continued to reduce it until, in 1913, John Henry Mear's made it in thirty-five days, twenty-one hours and thirty-six minutes. That record stood for some years. They all largely depended on luck and on skill in making boat and train connections.

Now another element entered the picture. The United States army sent a fleet of planes around the world in 1924. Lieutenants Smith, Wade, and Nelson brought their ships home in 175 days. But their actual flying time had been only fourteen days and fifteen hours.

That opened the way to new records, and the next were made by combinations of the old steamship-and-rail routes with planes. Edward S. Evans and Linton Wells made it in twenty-eight days, fourteen hours, thirty-six minutes in 1925, and Mear came back in 1928 with a plane pilot, C. B. Collier, to cut that time to twenty-four days, fifteen hours, twenty-one minutes.

Still another means of speedy globe travel came into the picture in 1929, when the Graf Zeppelin made the famous circuit. The Graf was a lineal ancestor of the Hindenburg, on which today's globe trotters started out. The Graf, thundering out of the night above Europe, Asia, and America, came home to Lakehurst, New Jersey, in twenty days and four hours.

### FLIERS TAKE SHORT WAY

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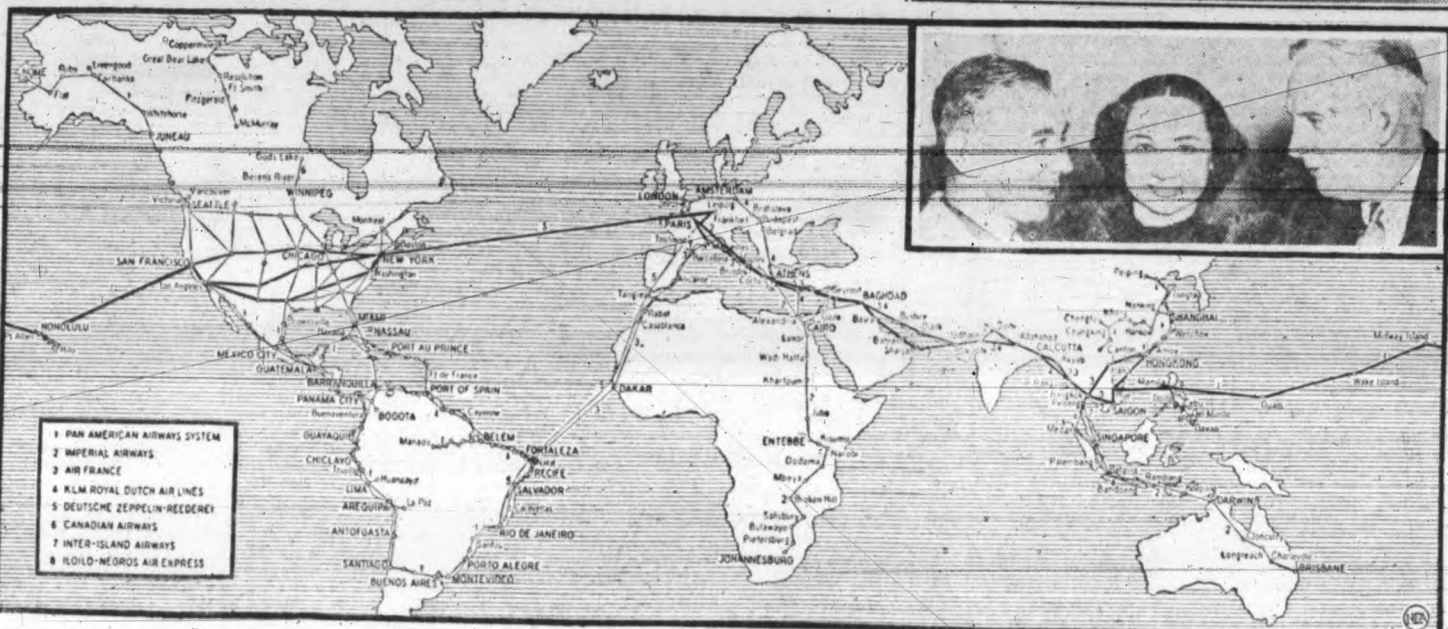
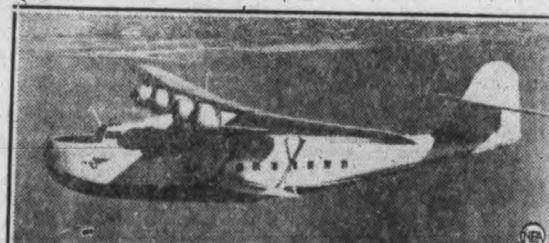
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## The Latest World-girdling Dash By Three New York Reporters



First leg of their journey, from Lakehurst, N.J., to Frankfurt, Germany, was covered in the Hindenburg, left, by the three newspaper writers racing around the world. At right is the Hawaii Clipper, which Ekins caught and on which he is now crossing the Pacific.



Contestants and routes are shown above. Inset, left to right, are Leo Kieran, New York Times; Dorothy Kilgallen, New York Journal; H. R. Ekins, Scripps-Howard papers. Two ships on which they flew at different stages of their journey were Royal Dutch Line plane, left, and Imperial Airways flying boat, right.



### Fogg On His Way



If H. R. Ekins succeeds in circling the globe in twenty-one days, it will be a record of the world's progress ever since the days of Jules Verne. But Ekins won't have time for as many thrilling adventures as befell Phineas Fogg and his companions, in Verne's imaginative story "Around the World in Eighty Days." Fogg and his party are pictured (above) in an illustration from the story scotching across the western plains on a sail-driven sledge.

July 22: 2:55 a.m.—Arrived Minneapolis.  
3:50 a.m.—Landed Chicago to check bearings owing to fog.  
8:15 a.m.—Left Chicago but forced down at Cleveland at 11:30 a.m. owing to poor visibility.  
11:35 a.m.—Left Cleveland; forced down at Middletown, Pa.  
4:30 p.m.—Left Middletown for New York.

8:21 p.m.—Arrived New York. That is the record that the three reporters now on their way around the world are trying to break. It looks as though Ekins will succeed in his plan as he made connections on the Hawaii clipper at Manila. What does all this mean, that is, as far as Victoria is concerned? It seems to indicate that all this northern area, is not on the new line of transportation. As long as ships were needed to provide the quickest means of travel between the North American continent and the Orient, Victoria was the first and last port of call. Now the scene has shifted southward. The great flying boats are using the southern route; via the American possessions of Hawaii, Wake, Midway, Guam and the Philippines. It is warmer and more comfortable in those latitudes for all year travel.

**THE GREAT CIRCLE**  
Much has been written of the Great Circle route in the marine annals of the Pacific. It is the shortest route between Victoria and the Orient. But it is a question as to whether or not a Great Circle air route from New York to Japan or China would prove very popular for some years to come, at any rate with travelers. The planes from New York would have to follow much the same route as that taken by Col. Charles and Mrs. Lindbergh on their flight to Asia some years ago. They crossed the Barren Lands of Canada, called at Point Barrow, Alaska, hopped over Bering Sea and then skirted the coast of Asia to Tokyo. It is a long, cold trip with no aerial aids to navigation.

In comparison to this route consider the hop from New York to San Francisco in a comfortable Boeing, Boeing or Lockheed twin-engine job. Sixteen hours will see you through that stage of the trip. Then onto the China Clipper and in five days you can reach Manila. And having mentioned the Lindberghs it is a question as to whether they had to make the trip from Asia to this continent in a hurry today whether they would take the same route they followed when they were called home following the sudden death of Mrs. Lindbergh's father, Dwight Morrow. They crossed the Pacific by an American Mail liner and a large Lockheed single-engine monoplane was waiting at the Lansdowne Airport for them. They spent the night at the airport and were off at the first sign of dawn the next day.

Today they would unquestionably take a China Clipper if connections were favorable.

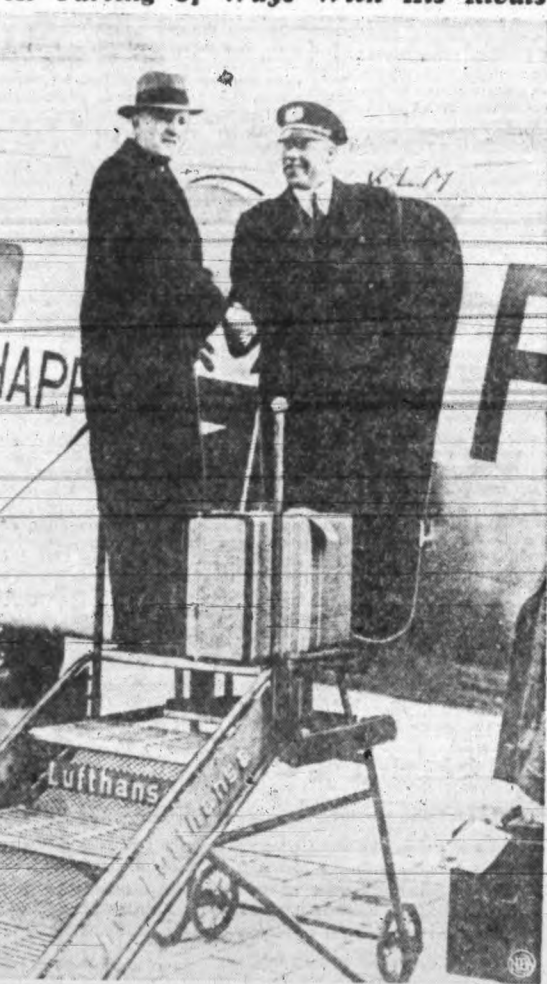
Another memorable flight out of Victoria was made by two United States army fliers who parked their powerful ships at the Lansdowne Airport to play the final role in the delivery of Japan's signature to the London Naval Treaty. The treaty, a special case, was brought to Victoria by one of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha ships. It was handed to the two United States fliers, who, garbed in winter flying suits and with parachutes strapped to their backs, took off for Washington, D.C. They encountered vile snow storms on the way and one of the pilots crashed into a mountain and was killed. The other pilot got through with the treaty.

### Ticketed for Delay



Dorothy Kilgallen, woman reporter in the race around the world, pauses in Frankfurt, Germany, to buy a ticket.

### At Parting of Ways With His Rivals



While his rivals in the race around the world pursued plans to follow other routes, H. R. Ekins, writer for the Scripps-Howard newspapers, got a head start at Frankfurt, Germany, by boarding a Dutch airliner, whose pilot welcomes him.

### Getting Re-routed



Facing the need for rearranging his route because of delayed arrival, Leo Kieran, New York newspaperman, steps off the Hindenburg at Frankfurt, Germany.

to Yokohama in time to connect with an Empress.

There was, for instance, the dash made by Andrew Jager Schmidt in 1911. He completed his circle in thirty-nine days, nineteen hours, forty-three minutes. This was the fastest time that could be made by the means of transportation available then. He used only rail and boat, crossing Asia on the Trans-Siberian Railroad.

A reporter on The New York Sun, John Henry Mear, discovered in 1913 that the Canadian Pacific Steamships Ltd. had built two new ships, the Empress of Russia and Empress of Asia, for the Trans-Pacific service. This meant that the steaming time between Yokohama and Victoria would be reduced by two days. The fastest time the old Empresses, the India, China and Japan, had made was just over eleven days. The new Empresses had sufficient power in their turbines to push them across the pond in a few hours over the nine days.

Mear considered the time opportunity for an assault on the record of Schmidt and he started off by boat from New York and arrived in Victoria in the course of his travels. He went from here to Seattle by ferry steamer and reached New York in thirty-five days, twenty-one hours and thirty-five minutes four-fifths seconds.

**INTRODUCED AIRPLANE**

This was the last time when boat and rail were to be used exclusively on the globe-girdling gallop. In the next jaunt the airplane was to play a part. Edward S. Evans and Linton Wells mapped out a course in 1925 which attracted world-wide attention as they were to be pathfinders in a new form of globe-trotting.

Once again Victoria was to be an important point in their dash. They arrived here on one of the American Mail Line steamships after an eleven-day crossing of the Pacific and were met at William Head quarantine station by the late Eddie Hubbard and his famous mail-carrying Boeing flying boat. Evans and Wells were given permission to transfer from the liner to the plane at William Head and took off at once for Seattle.

They reached New York in twenty-eight days, fourteen hours and thirty-six minutes.

This took a big slice off Mear's time and he, although getting along in years for record-smashing travel, stuck his nose deep into train, boat and plane schedules, and tried to figure out a way to regain the world-circling mark. He convinced himself that it was impossible to scissor anything off the mark unless the airplane was more extensively used. Regular air services in different parts of the world would be of little use to him, so he hit on the plan of taking a plane along with him. It was not until 1928 that his plan was completed.

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very outset to save four hours. His monoplane had been lashed on the deck of the White Star liner Olympic and he had booked passage for himself and Collier on the same ship. Four hours after the Olympic left New York Collier and Mear left that metropolis in a special seaplane, and landed on the water at Sandy Hook. They transferred by small boat to the Olympic and were taken to Cherbourg, France, from where they started in their plane for Tokyo.

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lights flooded the afterdeck of the Empress of Russia the winches lifted the red monoplane, its wings folded back, and lowered it on to the dock. This strange creature was towed through the streets of Victoria to the Lansdowne airfield, where it was gassed and oiled and dined up for the final dash to New York. As was well ahead of the record of Wells and Evans and provided Collier kept the plane from crashing up in the clouds with a new mark for the globe-trotters to shoot at.

A large crowd remained at the airport throughout the night and just as dawn was breaking the next morning, Collier raised the monoplane from the turf, swung left and roared on to Spokane.

Despite bad weather between Spokane and New York Mear and Collier completed their trip in twenty-four days, fifteen hours, twenty-one minutes.

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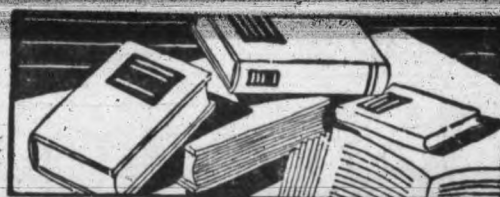
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# BOOKS OF THE DAY



## Soviet Russia English Labor Leader Critical, But Sees Stand- ard Rising

SIR WALTER CITRINE, secretary of the Trades Union Congress, will not be liked any better by the Communists after they have read his latest book, "I Search for Truth in Russia" (Routledge, London). Brave fighter for his conviction Sir Walter has always been, and he does not hesitate to speak frankly on the subject of the Soviets.

He is especially critical of those writers who have visited Soviet Russia, seen everything that the government wished them to see and then written a glowing account of the Soviet virtues without stating the true facts.

Mr. Bernard Shaw is the chief object of his condemnation in this respect. "Shaw," writes Sir Walter, "looked at Russia as though it was a theatre and he was sitting in the stalls. But he never bothered to go behind the stage to find out how things really were."

Sir Walter went behind every stage he could. He must have made himself a terrible nuisance to the guides who were deputed to show him round, for he wanted to see everything and know everything. The result is a book which gives a more truthful picture of the country in which the unique experiment of Bolshevism is being conducted than any that has yet appeared. (It must not be forgotten that Sir Walter is a prominent member of the Socialist party.)

### STRONG IN MILITARY WAY

HE DOES NOT dwell long on the foreign policy of the Soviet, but what he does say is extremely interesting, for he puts forward the view that if either Japan or Germany attacked Soviet Russia single-handed, they would find that they had bitten off more than they could chew.

But Soviet foreign policy is not only a matter of a combined attack by these two great powers, and writes the author "the U.S.S.R. is following a more pronounced policy of conciliation. At the same time . . . the estimates for military expenditure during the year 1936 are more than double those of the previous year. Russia is seeking friends, not only amongst workers of the world, but amongst the capitalist powers also."

The rapid equipment of the Red Army is one of the reasons for the fact that the standard of living in Russia is "definitely below most western countries."

He had some difficulty in finding out exactly how much a rouble was worth inside the country, but he eventually came to the conclusion that it was equal to between 3d. and 4d. in English money.

Having settled this point, he went round with his wife to see how prices compare with other European capitals. As a result of this shopping expedition, he stated that a woman's coat priced at £20 in London would cost in Moscow at least 250 roubles—a full month's wages of an artisan. Shows that a London working man can buy for a day's pay would cost the average Soviet worker half his pay for a month.

**SPEEDING UP PRODUCTION**  
SIR WALTER was not afraid to ask a number of awkward and pertinent questions regarding wages and conditions of work during his tours of the factories—and he does not hesitate to say that many of the answers he received did not please him, especially those connected with increased production.

At the Kaganovitch ball-bearing factory, employing 18,000 people, he saw a large notice board with a column on the left representing the pictures of an airplane, a motorcar, and so on until the first picture were those of a small and a man asleep. Beside each picture were the names of some workers.

Sir Walter asked the foreman, "What is this? You told me you didn't put up a black list, but what is this?"

"He said, 'These are the names of workmen who have failed to produce the plan.'"

"Under whose instructions do you do this?" I asked.

"Under the instructions of Trade Unions and the workers themselves," he retorted, "I have nothing to do with this. I am employed by the administration and this is done by the workers."

"But surely that can't be true?" I said. "Who made the board for them? Who painted it? Who allowed them to put it up?"

"We did," he answered reluctantly.

Then Sir Walter lit a cigarette, and told them that he thought it was a damnable system.

**THE OLD MINUET**  
THE "SONATA" was at first the name of a short piece of music, a "sonatina" even shorter, in a slightly developed A B form (Domenico Scarlatti is one of the best remembered writers of the sonata form), and the simplest demonstration of a musical development of this A B form is the movement known as the Minuet, which of the old suite movements lived on in the sonata until Beethoven gave it new life as the Scherzo, and a full development came with the Rondo, so called because one subject comes round several times; Haydn's "Gypsy Rondo" is an old friend of that type. The second movement became almost always the slow one. The modern Franck was a composer who made the most closely knit and extended use of the "classical" times as in the two beautiful examples: his Violin Sonata and his symphony.

**DEVELOPED WITH TIME**  
SOME OF the general reader can understand that when men became proficient in the various instruments they combined these into groups, and from the early simple forms developed into the more intricate and

## Sleuth's Book Sees Crime, Society Linked

By BRUCE CATTON  
THERE is a liberal education to be had in Leslie T. White's book, "Me, Detective" (Harcourt-Brace).

Mr. White spent some ten years as a "flat-foot," winding up as special investigator for the district attorney in Los Angeles; and his book is the same sort of record of an intelligent and inquisitive man who starts by hating crooks and ends by hating the system which makes crooks.

Mr. White learned in his very first week as an officer that there is one law for the rich and another for the poor. A little later he saw that the financial roots of the underworld invariably trail back up into the realm of good and upright citizens. And still later he learned that it is the system which corrupts men, and not men who corrupt the system.

That is to say that he reached, exactly the conclusion which Steffens reached before him; socially and culturally, crime is absolutely inevitable. Such things as graft, crime and vice, are also, Steffens's other great reason: these "bad" people—vice lords, prostitutes, gangsters, crooked politicians and so on, have an unaccountable way of being rather like human beings when you meet them on a man-to-man basis.

As a mere record of what goes on in a detective bureau, his book is as fascinating as a first-rate melodrama. As a study of crime, its causes and the soil which produces it, "Me, Detective," is extremely important. If you want to begin to understand our "crime problem" as it really is, don't fail to read this book.

**BABOON HERO**  
THERE HAVE BEEN many thrilling books of warfare but no more exciting account of a campaign can be found than that described in the opening pages of "Buffo: the Baboon" (Melrose) by W. S. Chadwick.

The war in this case is one between men and animals. The men were headed by Jack Granger, indomitable white rancher on the Simbwe River in Southern Rhodesia; the animals were "hairy Huns" under a super-baboon known as Atilla.

The audacity of Atilla's army of baboons was equalled only the leader's cunning and the iron discipline he exacted from his followers. And although Jack Granger could rely on the help of bullets, assegais and dogs, Atilla proved a lot of redoubtable fighting capacity.

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In addition to the story of Buffo, Mr. Chadwick has included other stories of African wild life in this volume; every incident being based on the author's personal observations or on those of others. Dorothy Kay has illustrated the book. It should be a winner with readers of all ages.

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INTREPID BIRDMEN was the phrase used by some of the newspapers during the Great War to describe the pilots of the Royal Flying Corps. These officers of the first aerial force that ever fought for England might have winced at the idea of their being "intrepid birdmen," but they were a strong species and invited strange epithets. In any case, as they were the first of their kind in history, they were hard to please. Nor, being British, and therefore self-conscious, and shy when it came to facing the publicity spotlight, did they help matters by any serious attempt to strike a dramatic attitude or voice any particular philosophy.

Moreover, most of them were as immature as schoolboys. In test exacting times, indeed, they would still have been at schools or universities. They were produced then. The war modeled them. They were altogether rather extraordinary young men. They gained a reputation for being wild, dare-devil, quite irresponsible fellows with a tendency to drink enormous quantities of alcohol. They were distinguishable by a uniform that consisted of a jaunty forage cap, perched over one ear; khaki double-breasted jacket, usually referred to as a "maternity jacket," with the badge of outspread wings above the heart; somewhat exaggerated riding breeches of almost any shade, according to the whim of the wearer, and field boots.

They had a peculiar jargon of their own. Much of it is unprintable. It was chiefly concerned with airplanes and the people and things connected with flight.

And the average "expectation of life" of these young subalterns of the air on active service in France was about three weeks.

Their story has been attempted since the end of the war by ex-pilot writers and others with varying degrees of success. But none has interpreted it more truthfully than, or half so brilliantly as, Cecil Lewis in his autobiographical account of war flying, "Sagittarius Rising" (Peter Davies, London).

Mr. Lewis left his school at the age of sixteen to learn to fly. He was sent to France after thirteen hours of solo flying experience. This was nothing out of the ordinary at the time. As pilots were being killed off at such a rate, there could be no pause in the supply. They often set about learning their flying (if they survived) while actually engaged in aerial warfare. Mr. Lewis himself managed to survive and to become a combat pilot. And after flying for some time he spent two years in China, employed by a British civil aviation company in teaching Chinese to fly.

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## Tale of Young Love In Old England

J. B. PRIESTLEY describes his new novel, "They Walk in the City" (Harper's), as "a new allegory of simple young people in the complicated old world."

Like its predecessors, "The Good Companions" and "Angel Pavement," it is a long, rambling and occasionally over-diffuse narrative of English life. Rose Salter and Edward Fielding meet and fall in love in the manufacturing town of Halifax. Then, for rather unconvincing reasons, Rose flees to London, pursued frantically by Edward. The novel concerns itself with their subsequent adventures.

Rose befriends a shoplifter and her dying brother, ruins from the police, becomes involved in a riot between Fascists and Communists and is enticed by a dubious female into a shady affair which results in murder.

All this should make an exciting and memorable book. The plot is unusual and Mr. Priestley writes with his customary skill. His observations are humorous and shrewd, his panoramic picture of London is splendid, the minor characters are sketched with effective strokes.

But the book is disappointing—chiefly because Rose and Edward, the two people in the book who should be alive and breathing, are just naturally incredible. They aren't stupid, but they are so naive as to seem stupid; and they pass through their numerous vicissitudes, through scenes and events completely new to their experience, yet emerge the same beaming innocents of the first chapter.

## New Mystery Yarns

AMONG the new mystery stories, here are three that you might easily find worth your while: "Murder of a Matrilarch," by Hugh Austin (Crime Club). This one tells about an old

hellion of a dowager who has a potful of money and puts all her relatives through the hoop by dangleing it tantalizingly in front of their noses. Naturally, somebody finally rises up and shoots her. Since half a dozen people had both motive and opportunity, the case is somewhat baffling. It is solved in the end by a young police lieutenant, not before a small boy, with a squirtgun, full of prussic acid, gives everybody some anxious moments. All in all, you will find it quite readable.

Then there "Three Died Beside the Marble Pool," by Carl M. Chapin (Crime Club), and if you like a gore, this ought to be your dish—for, if any memory is right, it contains seven murders. The scene is a small town in Vermont, and the book is full of shady goings-on by a deserted stone quarry. It is all a bit confusing, but our hunch is that, if you start to read it, you won't stop until you have finished it.

Lastly, we have "The Dark Green Circle," by Edward Shanks (Bobbs-Merrill). This one deals with a mysterious and sinister Englishman who has a lot of Roman ruins on his country place and who seems to think himself a reincarnation of the last of the Caesars, or something.

The book is full of underground passages, mad men in disguise, devious plots and so on; and, while it doesn't make very much sense, it does manage to be entertaining.

about the future. In order to recover our sense of values, and our sense of humor, he recommends a trip to 10,000 feet above the earth.

"From such a height," he writes, "how insignificant the works of men's hands appear! How everything they do seems to disfigure the face of the earth; but when they have done their worst, what a lot of it is left. This curious and intricate agglomeration of little pink blobs is a city. It looks rather like an open sore in the green-flesh of the earth; but not after all, such a very large one. Left for a few hundred years, it will heal up and the world will be none the worse. In contrast, how satisfying and permanent are the shapes of the woods and the pattern of the tilled and fallow fields. These are the first and last things, and will persist in the face of all conquest or defeat while men endure."

"With what grace and spontaneity is the world laid out! Man-made order and precision, square, circle or straight line, is an offence against this greater harmony, where nothing seems planned, yet all falls home just so."

"After all, if we take a perspective in time comparable to the one we have taken in height, how mushroom-like is our scientific epoch. Two hundred years ago it was not thought of. Now taken its toll, it will die out, leaving us innoculated or immune."

I could quote you dozens of extracts of all sorts from this book; I should certainly have liked to have given you a sample of this author's humor. But, unlike the air pilot, I am restricted by lack of space. I commend this book to your serious attention. Do not miss it.

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## Supreme Gift

Divine Magnetic Spark  
Knows No Distinction  
of Sex

WALTER DURANTE, the great newspaperman, in his book "I Write As I Please" tells of sitting with Isadora Duncan one evening in a cafe where some poets were having a party. One by one the group recited their lyrics and epics and odes. Isadora Duncan at the time was the wife of the poet Esenin. Durante, seeing in him only a peasant boy, asked the great dancer why she had married him.

Then Esenin began to recite one of his poems, "The Black Man." The Russian poet was close to delirium then, the news commentator says, and his verses were so full that the audience was frozen into horror. When his voice had gone, Miss Duncan said quietly: "Do you still think my little peasant boy has no genius?"

Force of personality, some divine, creative power had lifted him above the men who played with words that could never kindle the songs he sang. Personality, genius, call it what you please, must be a divine gift.

### FEW SHOW SPARK OF GENIUS

ONLY occasionally in the world do we find one with the supreme gift. Jesus Christ had it, for there was no way for the son of Joseph the carpenter to learn a technique that would draw all men unto Him. Shakespeare had it, for a schoolboy in Avon had little chance to develop had it, and so did Disraeli.

Durante gives another example of the priceless heritage that comes to a few in every age. Boris Savinkov, Kerenky's minister of war, who planned the killing of Count Mirbach and the assassination of Lenin at Yaroslavl in 1918, was considered the greatest enemy of the U.S.S.R. When he was caught he was tried before the Supreme Military Tribunal one night. Durante was present. The Revolutionist arose, faced 200 enemies, and began to explain himself in a speech which Durante considers the greatest piece of oratory he has ever heard.

"While you hid or fled, I was playing on death's doorstep," he told those later revolutionists. He let them go with him to the shooting of Tsarist governors and the smashing of grand dukes. They had intended to kill him. They changed the sentence to imprisonment.

### WOMEN FLASH SPARK, TOO

MEN POINT with pride to the fact this power has usually been the possession of men, not women, just as genius is their peculiar heritage. Not always, though. It was the force of an inner radiance that made the French soldiers follow Joan of Arc down the dusty highway to Orleans.

There was a challenge beyond words in the nobility with which Edith Cavell went to her death one weary day in Belgium. Genius of personality wrought silence when Jenny Lind sang just as it did when Esenin spoke, Isadora Duncan had been granted the magic lion, too.

History gives us fewer instances of women who have portrayed this gift not because their heritage is any more meagre. It is because the world so long has been a man's kingdom in which women have had small opportunity to demonstrate the supreme gift.

After all, what does it matter if the accolade is laid on a man or a woman's shoulders? The rest of us are grateful when a few stand out above the monotone that colors the cosmic calendar and take us briefly to spiritual hills.

### SANE TALK ON DIET

OF BOOKS about diet and the human figure there is no end; the most recent one—s.d., incidentally, one of the sanest—is "Food, Fitness and Figure," by Jacob Buckstein (Emerson).

Dr. Buckstein, who has the knack of writing clearly about rather abstruse matters, gives an excellent review of the innumerable food fads of the day, debunking them very skillfully and then presents some sane and sane dietary formulas.

**THE INTELLECTUAL CURIOSITY OF YOUTH** must be satisfied. Politics, economics, history, sociology—these are matters of prime interest to moderns. The cinema must attempt to satisfy that curiosity and forget its eternal preoccupation with love stories.

—Alexander Korda, British director.

IF MY interpretation of Mr. Roosevelt is correct, the business community will henceforth observe in Washington a president who is anxious to out-Coolidge Coolidge in giving industrial prosperity to America.

—Major L. L. B. Angus, British economist.

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## MUSIC of the DAY—By G.J.D.

complicated sonata, the string quartette and the symphony orchestra. And, naturally enough, with the perfection of these forms came a desire for further individual expression, until in the modern school the development of what is known as absolute or programme music has made radical changes and not only in this formal expression, but in instrumentation as well.

### OPERA THE GERM OF THE SYMPHONY

THE BIRTH of opera was really the germ of the symphony, and originated in Italian opera, the direct offspring of the seventeenth century "sinfonia avanti l'opera," which in overture style preceded the opera itself. In the earliest known opera, "Eurycleia" (1600), is a short instrumental interlude known as "Symphonia for three flutes," and Venetian opera composers wrote much purely instrumental music, elaborating the short extracts that were known as "opera symphonies."

Examples of the Overture are the "Lully Overture," of three movements, and the "Scarlatti Overture," also in three movements, both of the seventeenth century. From these Venetian opera symphony forms sprang the present symphony, a name derived from the Greek (*syn*—together, and *phone*—sound); having reference to a number of instruments sounded together.

### HAYDN FIRST SYMPHONY MASTER

FOR MANY YEARS the symphony remained in a certain unprogressive state. To a great extent it was "period" music. Haydn stands out as the first real experimentalist in orchestration. Mozart was of different calibre; he "plumbed the depths" where Haydn "rode on the surface," and the finale of the "Jupiter" Symphony is one of the most wonderful pieces of music ever written.

From Haydn and Mozart emerged Beethoven, a giant figure, sublime and aloof, with an entirely new conception of the symphony. After Beethoven the symphony lived more adventurously, if less nobly. Classical music came almost to a halt; it was now the age of romantic music; the age of acute

personal expression, yet it was Beethoven himself who showed the way to these new developments.

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heartstrings." No doubt the impassioned and thrilling moments of the song. . . possessed a husky baritone voice," writes another. It is not usually the deep-throated contralto that has that seductive "huskiness" particularly appertaining to a movie star not unknown to countless numbers of her followers.

Another novelist writes: "The lights went down." The orchestra was playing something creepy that sounded like Gounod." Clever, perhaps, but why Gounod? Wonder if it was the "Funeral March of a Marionette" the writer heard!

**A GREAT AND SIMPLE MAN**  
W. H. REED, one-time concertmaster of the Queen's Hall orchestra, and well-known arranger, has written a book about Elgar, of which a reviewer says: "We lay down the book feeling that we have been close to a great and simple man, without overhearing anything he would not have liked us to hear."

The title of the book is "El



## Drinking Driver He Is Deadlier Than the Drunk, Says Dr. Fishbein

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN

THE GREATEST menace in the realm of motor car slaughter is the drinking driver—not the drunk, mind you, according to one high authority—as extensive experiments conclusively show.

When your car is moving at a speed of sixty miles an hour you are traveling eighty-eight feet a second. A person reacts in about one-fifth second to what he sees or hears, psychologists reveal. This is known as the reaction time.

When the mind is controlled by alcohol, this time may be slowed to two-fifths second, or even much slower.

If you lose one-fifth second in deciding what to do, you have traveled eighteen feet, or thirty-six feet if you lose two-fifths second. Either of these distances may mean the difference between safety and crippling or death.

### EFFICIENCY LOWERED BY WHISKY

IN MILWAUKEE a doctor tested the effects of small amounts of alcohol on a number of people to determine what the alcohol would do to their minds.

Each was given about an ounce of whisky. Every one suffered a remarkable loss of efficiency. Even when apparently able to do mechanical work more rapidly, he did so at the expense of accuracy.

In another experiment a device was used to measure the time that elapsed between a signal and the application of brakes. Four ounces of whisky was given.

Those who had this amount were able to pass the ordinary tests used to determine drunkenness, and were able to perform adequately the routine actions involved in driving, but they were not able to do as well in avoiding obstacles placed in the road, backing the car and using the emergency brake rather than the foot brake.

Reaction time was increased in every one of them, even though the alcohol taken was well under the limit necessary to produce drunkenness.

Dr. Herman A. Heise, who conducted these experiments, considers them actual proof that it is not the drunk who constitutes the greatest menace, but the drinking driver.

It is apparently a mistake to consider a person sober as long as he can still talk and walk. We have to know just how much alcohol he has had to know the extent to which the alcohol is responsible for motor accidents.

### NEEDLE THREADING IS INTERESTING TEST

TO SHOW what effects a small amount of alcohol will have, one man was able to thread 180 needles in twenty minutes at 10 o'clock in the morning. He did this over and over for fourteen days.

Then at 11 o'clock on the night of the fourteenth day, he drank about one and a half ounces of whisky. The next morning he tried to thread needles again, eleven hours after drinking, and continued this for ten days. His efficiency in threading needles was 6 per cent less after taking the alcohol.

In Stockholm, Sweden, where they determine the actual amount of alcohol in the blood, 41 per cent of all men admitted to the hospital because of accident injuries were found to have alcohol in the blood.

In Great Britain, where the motoring problem is coming to be as threatening as in the United States, authorities feel that it is just as culpable under present driving conditions for men to drive motor cars while drunk as it would be for an engineer to attempt to run a train while under the influence of alcohol.

When the question was referred to the Medical Research Council, it brought out the opinion that the direct effect of alcohol on the nervous system is, in all stages and upon all parts of the system, to depress or suspend its functions; that it is, in short, from first to last a narcotic drug.

This distinguished body of scientists felt that alcohol led many persons to take risks and to make rapid decisions less judiciously than they would otherwise.

### DRIVER SUFFERS FROM DELUSION

THE TAKING of even small amounts of alcohol was found to impair both mechanical skill and intelligence and to reduce speed. Interestingly enough, the person concerned always feels that he is doing better than normally. The committee found that alcohol, in amounts of two or three ounces of whisky, is very detrimental to rapid and accurate co-ordination, and will invariably depreciate driving ability.

The most recent scientific report, that of the British Medical Association Committee, pointed out that it is almost universally agreed that the first effect of alcohol, and the effect of the smallest doses, is upon the higher functions of the brain.

When alcohol is taken into the body, it is eliminated slowly. The body oxidizes it at the rate of about one ounce of whisky an hour. This rate is not increased by drinking larger quantities. The effects persist and may be responsible for a motor accident long after the alcohol is first taken.

### HOW TO TELL IF DRIVER IS "SAFE"

HOW ARE you to tell when a person is intoxicated and unable to perform suitably in a motor car?

A very simple test is to ask him to touch his nose with a finger of both the right and left hand. Ask him to take a key, walk across the room and unlock a door and then bring the key back.

In this way you may learn whether walking is normal and straight, whether there is fumbling with the lock, and whether the person can turn without becoming confused. Ask him to talk to you and see whether he stutters, his words or stumbles in reading.

These simple tests will frequently determine whether it is safe to let him drive. If not, make up your mind not to ride with him—and stick to your decision.

Today the number of deaths from motor vehicles is greater than that of suicides and murders combined. More accidents take place during late fall and winter than in summer and spring, even though motor cars are used less during the winter.

It behooves us, therefore, to be especially careful during November, December, January and February.

More boys and girls were killed last year by automobiles than died of diphtheria, scarlet fever or typhoid.

## Smart Lines

From a New York Correspondent

ONE LINE from a Broadway play that has been quoted in more than one place is *Societte*. Clara Boothe Brokaw's epigram in "Abide With Me." To wit: "It's easier to marry the man you love than to love the man you marry."

An I re-ran across this line in a Ring Lardner yarn the other evening: "You can't be up with the lark if you've been out on the night before."

Dr. Knight Dunlap of Johns Hopkins says a baby is no vegetable and shouldn't be coddled. In other words, it's no egg either.

It's harder to find women comedians than men, says a Hollywood director. Be yourself, is man's motto.

# IMPORTED BEAUTY VERSUS HOME MAID

## That Subtle "Continental" Charm Spotlighted By Stars

By ALICIA HART

THE PARADE of imported beauties to America—Simone Simon, Greta Garbo, Merle Oberon, Claudette Colbert, Wendy Barrie, Jessie Matthews and Marlene Dietrich are only a few of them—focuses attention on the elusive quality known as "continental."

It has brought social and professional success to those who have it. It has enabled many to overcome handicaps of face and figure. So it is not surprising that a growing chorus asks: "What do they have that our own beauties lack?" "Poise," comes the answer from some. "Personality," say others. "Vivacity," insist Disputants.

But the man who ought to know, Alexander Korda, who directed so many of Europe's most glamorous actresses in films both abroad and in Hollywood, insists it is "self-sufficiency" and sophistication, and sees therein a lesson in beauty for the average American girl.

"The fact that a European woman depends as much on personal charm as on physical beauty," he says, "is proved by the great percentage of European women occupying high places in pictures."

"Greta Garbo, Marlene Dietrich and Merle Oberon, three top-rank stars, are Europeans brought to North America to find success on the screen. It would be a mistake to say that any of these ladies are devoid of the same physical charm that makes American girls so magnetically alluring. They do, however, possess a self-sufficiency and sophistication that surpasses anything most American girls can offer."

"Perhaps the successful fusion of all traits will make an international star that will transcend all type boundaries. There would be an ideal, indeed!"

Few of us aspire to rival Garbo and Dietrich. Nevertheless, we can improve every one of us—by following Mr. Korda's suggestion, by striving to develop poise, confidence, the charm that radiates from within and is not applied like a new lipstick.

So, look to your personality! You will want to acquire that glamorous thing called poise—but do not, please, mistake an emotionless face and a motionless body for poise. Among well-turned-out women, there is entirely too much tendency toward stiffness of manner and smile.

Keep in mind that naturalness and warm, kindly charm are your greatest assets. You do not have to hang from the chandelier, dance on the dining-room table or do anything that is too conspicuous in order to appear natural.



James Montgomery Flagg's caricature of the petite French actress, Simone Simon, has captured in charcoal the natural vivacity that is so much a part of her charm.



Claudette Colbert is admired by film audiences for her sparkling personality, grace and wit quite as much as for her undeniable beauty. Note the alertness of her expression even in repose.

Just the same the more you follow your natural impulses, the more charming you are likely to be. Why stifle a broad grin in favor of a sickly, carefully thought-out smile? Why keep your hands locked in your lap and your thoughts locked in your mind for hours at a time? Poise is one thing, staid mannerisms are quite another.

The world admits that North American women have the most beautiful figures and are the best-looking women in the world. Girls throughout Europe envy our height, our carriage and the way we retain our youthful curves. So foreign women seek to make up in vivacity and natural charm what they may lack in beauty. It is these difficult-to-define traits alone—the quick smile of understanding, the expressive twist of a shoulder, the warm eyes, the soft voice, the graceful fingers, that seem to speak—which the American beauty might learn from her less-favored foreign sisters.

## Aristocrat Stooze

### Sir Joseph Ginsberg Is Most "Glorified Mem- ber of His Calling"

From a New York Correspondent

HERE is a letter from Sir Joseph Ginsberg advising to whom it may concern that he is now available for personal appearances in any "high class" vaudeville programme.

But you don't know Sir Joseph? Sir Joseph is comedian Willie Howard's mentor, house guest, companion, court jester and—ahem—stooze. He has made the little comic with the winding proboscis laugh for years. And keeping a professional comedian employed is no mean feat.

And no ordinary "stooze" in the ordinary sense is Ginsberg, the Broadway aristocrat. He is no buff for Willie's public jokes nor has he ever served as foil for Willie's gags onstage. He confines his talents behind the scenes. Not even Willie can remember the exact date upon which Sir Joseph settled down in his Great Neck home and merely neglected to move out. In fact, Willie would have trouble explaining how he and Sir Joseph first met and where. And it wouldn't matter. They just met.

And they have been together ever since. Visit at his Great Neck residence and out on the lawn, you will find Sir Joseph pottering around among the petunias and annuals and having himself a fine, bucolic afternoon. He will be attired in a top hat, with a cane on his arm, wearing shorts, high, tightly-gartered socks and a silk shirt studded with medals, all kinds of medals garnered from innumerable pavilions. And if you are so cynical as to question Sir Joseph's vows that those medals are the personal gifts of kings, prime ministers and adulating governments, then you are just being a hard-headed, poor sport.

As far as Willie is concerned, Sir Joseph is the greatest comedian in the world. Though he isn't aware of it, never has he doubted the circumstances of Sir Joseph's fictitious knighthood nor has he ever taken him up on any point of diplomatic debt, feat of valor or international intrigue that Sir Joseph often talks about. And as far as Willie is concerned, Sir Joseph can be his permanent guest and garden landscaper for life.

But now the amiable Ginsberg has declared his "declarations of independence" and is setting out in vaudeville on his own hook. Unless, of course, vaudeville lays its hook into him first.

FIELDS OF ENDEAVOR

THERE are few glorified stoozes such as Sir Joseph left. Indeed, with the passing of Tammany Young, he became the last of a none-too-long line of personal "court clown." None have come to take the place of the lovable, gate-crashing "Tammany" in Manhattan.

For at least the last six years of his life, Tammany had no objection to being called the actor-stooze of W. C. Fields. For life the Sir Joseph

## Human Frailty

By HELEN WELSHIMER

THE autumn always breaks my heart a little. Now that the caravans that met the spring have found their Canaan, turned, and started homeward.

And left us nothing but remembering.

When fires are bright upon the hearth at evening, And dark winds blow against the lighted pane, A vagrant heart looks back across a summer, And finds a hurt dream blowing in the rain.

The autumn breaks my heart—but when the winter is in the land, you will be far, so far, And I shall be so warm, my once-beloved, I'll take my comfort—that's how mortals are.



Howard relationship, Tammany and Fields were the best of friends and inseparable companions. And Tammany was one of few men who could tickle the hilarious Fields's risibilities.

### STAR'S SELF-MADE RIVALS

THE TRUTH be told, the professional stooze has come into his own. The anonymous jack-in-the-box who always took the short end of the rope in a verbal tilt with the head man, is now almost as well known as the head man himself. Speak of Phil Bakr and somebody will bring up the names of his two inquisitors, Beetle and Bottle. They are in the act to stay. Sid Silvers, the original stooze, is a well-known Hollywood player.

And where would Joe Cook be if anything happened to Dave Chasen? Probably mangled in one of his own infernal machines. For in a Joe

## Human "Aura"

### Simple Explanation of Occultism; Stuffed Cats' Effort

LONDON.

A SUGGESTED physiological explanation of what an occultist calls the human aura was given to a deeply-interested audience in London by Professor Fraser-Harris, the distinguished physiologist and author of several books relating to nerves. This was at the National Laboratory of Physical Research, where many investigations into psychic phenomena are carried out.

Taking the occultist's most popular definition of an aura as some mysterious emanation from the human body only to be seen under special conditions, the professor suggested that the pale light or fringe which the favored occultist claimed to see in these conditions was actually caused by the ability of the human retina to see subjectively an after-image of something gazed at and to see that image as a reverse of the reality. He showed how, for instance, anyone gazing at a yellow disc against a white background would for a second or two after that disc had been removed see in its place a blue disc, though shape and color only existed in his mind. By the aid of lantern slides he showed how a white object produced a black after-image and a black one a white or grey after-image.

SHADOW FINGERS

AN OCCULTIST told him that if he were to hold his hands outstretched against a dark background with the fingers slightly apart and the points of the hands touching each other and were then to draw them apart he would see a grey mist streaming from the ends of the fingers, and that mist would be the aura. The professor found that the experiment would be successfully conducted with pale-colored cardboard hands, but his explanation of the mist which showed between the dark after-image was an after-image of the dark background.

Then he turned to the discovery made by Kliner, a scientist, that if a human head were set through glass of a special blue shade the head would be seen surrounded by a dark shadow beyond which was a grey, or in some cases a yellow, fringe. This fringe Kliner called the aura. The professor explained this as he did the shadow fingers, and added that he had succeeded by Kliner's method in securing the fine yellow aura of a stuffed cat.

Cook extravaganza, everybody knows that the fellow who dives into the tank, falls through the trap door and bounces his conk against a spring-board in order to make Cook's Original Medium Boiled Egg Regulator work, is none other than the self-immolating, ubiquitous Chasen. After all these years, he is part of the show.

## Musical Comedy Off Stage

From a New York Correspondent

FRED ALLEN reports to me that he was walking along the street when a man bumped into him.

"I'm sorry," the fellow who caused the head-on apologized. "I'm so upset I hardly realize what I'm doing."

"Come now, fellow," smiled Allen, "the sun is shining. God's in His heaven. All's right, I hope, with the world."

"I can't keep my chin up," was the mournful reply.

"Why not," the comedian asked.

"Because," was the rejoinder, "I'm a violin player."

MUTUAL ADMIRATION

PROBABLY the only currently popular musician who once played under Victor Herbert's baton is George Hall, who leads an orchestra in New York. His anecdotes of the immortal Herbert are numerous, but one he likes to recall is the night the maestro and he sat at a Saratoga bar after a successful afternoon at the track.

Herbert, Hall relates, loved good beer and the Pliner was fine. To add to the general gaiety, it was served by a Ben Turpinish bartender who was solicitous of Herbert's welfare.

Well, after delivering the fifth pitcher, pouring the brew delicately into the steins and holding the container against the light so we could see the rich amber, he set it down reverently, fixed his one good eye upon the composer and asked, "Mr. Herbert, how's the beer?"

"Fine, my boy," the jovial tunesmith replied. "I don't recall when it was any better."

The barkeep flushed with pride and then announced in tones that filled the room:

"Ah-h-h, Victor, we two know our business!"

They called each other by their first names thereafter.

## ATOMS

### "Twins" Now Help Scientists Trace Physi- ological Processes

By DR. FRANK THONE

CHEMICAL isotopes, the seldom-met "twins" of ordinary atoms, are being used in Denmark to trace the course of water, minerals, and organic substances through the physiological processes of plant and animal bodies. Some of the results were revealed for the first time, by Prof. August Krogh of the University of Copenhagen, speaking before the Harvard Tercentenary Conference.

An isotope might be defined as a form of a chemical element that behaves chemically like its better known twin, but is different enough on the physical side to permit it to be detected by suitable physical means. Thus, it is possible to produce a form of phosphorus distinguished by being radioactive, whereas ordinary phosphorus is not. Or, the famous "heavy hydrogen" is twice as heavy as ordinary hydrogen, so that "heavy" water containing it can be detected by weighing it.

Prof. Krogh and his associates have been giving isotopes of various nutrient elements to plants and animals, and afterwards analyzing the tissues from various parts, to find out where the isotopes went. They found, among other things, that radioactive phosphorus traveled around plants a good deal more rapidly than had previously been thought to be the case. Also, radioactive phosphorus turned up in the dentine of teeth, which has always been thought to be pretty well cut off from the rest of the body.

Another series of experiments, using "heavy water," showed that water gets around through the body of an animal quite rapidly, once it enters, and that any given quantity of water comes to be distributed pretty evenly throughout the whole body. Water-dwelling animal forms were shown to be capable of absorbing water through their gills, and also through their skins when these were not too thick.

Prof. Krogh stated his belief that of all types of isotopes, the radioactive ones would prove most useful in physiological studies, because it is so easy to detect them. He said that powerful apparatus is now being erected in his laboratory for the preparation of new kinds of radioactive elements.

### PRYING INTO PROTEINS

FROM another Baltic country came a report on investigations into the size and makeup of the protein molecule, among the largest and most complex of atomic aggregates. Prof. The Svedberg of the University of Uppsala, Sweden, told of methods and instruments evolved in his laboratory, which include an ultra-centrifuge that can whirl solutions at a rate of from sixty to seventy thousand revolutions a minute. This separates out intimately mixed things, as cream is separated from milk in a cream separator, and permits physical and chemical examinations to be made of the parts.

Prof. Svedberg's results confirm the ideas previously held, that protein molecules are relatively enormous, containing tens or even hundreds of thousands of atoms each, as against a mere half-dozen or dozen in common inorganic compounds, or a few scores or hundreds in the simpler organic molecules. Also, it was found that these huge molecules were not built up single atom by atom, but that blocks of atoms were put together at a time. That is, they were not put together a brick at a time, like a mason erecting a wall, but more like bolting together the whole sides of a knock-down house.

### THE BIRTH OF ENZYMES

ENZYMES, the highly complex proteins that make digestion, breathing, body warmth and many other physiological processes possible, can be formed out of inactive proteins by suitable chemical manipulation and heating. Dr. J. H. Northrop of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, reported. He described a number of experiments where such enzymes had been "manufactured," including one in which the material generated was an enzyme isolated from the still-mysterious germ-destroying bacteriophage, which "fed" and "grew" on a mass of killed bacteria.

## Fare Enough

From a New York Correspondent

I HAVE just heard, with some sorrow, of the plight of Leona Marsh, one of New York's few women taxi-drivers. "Hailed into court for not keeping to the right, Leona told the judge that 'things have been going so bad with me,' she couldn't pay the \$2 fine."

Several years ago, Leona came down from Canada where she was the winner of a beauty contest and started hawking. The papers made a fuss over her and fares were plentiful. Then, the novelty died away and Leona's income dwindled. She has carried me about on numerous occasions and has proved herself to be a canny front-seat driver. But New Yorkers still distrust a lady at the wheel and Leona, though a beauty, contest winner, has found taxi piloting unprofitable.

But here is the pay-off. When she left the court, a fare hailed her for a long ride to the Bronx. And Leona earned enough to pay the fine.

## Pretty Mothers

### They Must Keep Hands In at Cooking and Not Forget Powder Puff

By HELEN WELSHIMER

EVERY mother should own a powder puff! It is important that a mother watch the looking glass as it is that she keeps her eye on the biscuits. Small boys and girls love pretty, well-groomed mothers. . . mothers of whom they can be proud when their second-grade classmates come to play hide-an-go-seek or three-deep.

It is fine when the mother has a plate of ginger cookies with which to entertain the young visitors, but it is twice as much to her advantage when she has a clean house, a smile and well-brushed hair.

Children, as it happens, do not understand that making ginger cookies is an art, while everyone can be well-groomed. They know only that they wish others were as pretty as their teachers; that they wish their mothers sat down sometimes instead of working continuously and complaining about how tired they are, that they wish their mothers weren't always canning pickles or raspberries or doing the ironing.

### HUMAN NEEDS BEFORE MATERIAL ONES

UNFAIR of the children, you may say. When there is work it has to be done and no woman makes herself a drudge because she wants to. Certainly not. But some women make themselves martyrs because they want to. They choose to be Marthas when the role of Mary is both easier and happier.

Neat rooms, white curtains, polished floors—not for one minute would I deprecate the value of any of them. However, when a woman must choose between a scrubbed rug and a story hour, she is selling her birthright for a mess of spinach if she lets the human appeal go unanswered. When there are occasions on which she can not answer her children's spiritual needs because of overwhelming physical obstacles, she is worthy of supreme sympathy.

### IDEAL MOTHER GIVES UNDERSTANDING

A WOMAN not only increases her child's admiration for her when she enters his mental and spiritual life—and that does not mean that she has to understand anything about the calculus he is studying—but she retains her own interest in people and events, which assists her in remaining a person as well as a mother.

Therefore, it is with genuine approbation that Mrs. James Richard Smith, of Claremont, California, was greeted recently as the choice of the Golden Rule Foundation for the "Typical Mother of 1936." Fifty-three years old, the mother of six children, tall, full-figured, silver-haired, smiling and serene, she is an illustration of a woman who took care of her family on \$60 a month, kept her sense of humor and her complexion, and never failed to nurture her children's ideals and ideas.

Yes, in most instances it can be done! A woman, if she accepts motherhood as a proud role, not as the end of ambition, can build with living clay structures that are surpassingly beautiful.

### SACRIFICE THAT EXTRA JAR OF PICKLES

HOW WOMEN rear their families in peace and happiness, care for their material wants as well as those that are deeper, and retain their poise is a mystery. That there are some whose lines are cast in the monotony of toil in such a manner that they cannot chart their days, we know, and for them there is only sympathy and pity. But to the great average—the women who could have on a clean apron when the children come from school, if they cannot one far less of pickles—to them, Mrs. Smith presents the challenge of successful motherhood.

## Ounce of Oil Covers Eight Acres

By ROBERT D. POTTER

PITTSBURGH.

HOW FILMS of oil can spread so thin that one ounce of oil can cover up to eight and nine acres of water surface, was described at the meeting of the American Chemical Society by Prof. William D. Harkins and Dr. R. J. Myers of the University of Chicago.

Such thin films, which are often only one molecule thick—about 1-20,000,000th of an inch—have important uses in the lubrication of automobiles; the making of paint, the manufacture of laminated "safety glass" for windows, in color printing and in biology and medicine.

A new finding of scientists, said Prof. Harkins, is that such thin films can also exist in a layer several molecules thick. Science has as yet no adequate theory to explain the characteristics of such films.

The behavior of the films is, indeed, strange. With new apparatus the University of Chicago chemists are now learning that the films can be put in a "light" condition wherein the molecules stand on end and side by side like the riders of a rush-hour subway car. Or they can also be in an "expanded" state where they seem to lie over more and take up more room.

Other types of oil molecules like to lie flat on the surface and thus cover more area. They, too, have the "light" or "expanded" pattern.

An ounce of oil with the upright films will cover three and one-half acres of water surface, said Dr. Harkins. The expanded films will occupy eight acres of water surface. And if the "lying-down" molecules are considered they will be found to cover from fifteen to twenty acres of surface.

## Telling Fortunes With Mystery Glass

THERE are few people so sophisticated that they do not get a thrill out of having their fortunes told. Nearly all of us would love to have a peep into the future—if we were sure that something nice was going to happen! We do not want to hear of possible accidents, sudden deaths and illnesses, but we would like to know if love or wealth or great happiness was coming our way. A young girl wants to know when she will marry and what kind of man her future husband will be. At Christmas time, when everyone has more leisure for harmless little frivolities such as these, the man or woman who can tell a fortune becomes especially popular. It is not necessary to be an expert to give amusement. All one needs are a broad knowledge of fortune-telling, by means of cards, palm-reading, tea-leaf etc., and the ability to hold the company's interest by clever talk.

### THE MYSTERY GLASS

ON A SHEET of white notepaper write all the letters of the alphabet in large, clear capitals. Cut them out in squares, and place the squares in a ring round a small table. Get a wine-glass and place this upside down in the center of the table with the letters surrounding it. Next you will require the assistance of a sympathetic friend, who places her first and second fingers on the top of the glass, and you do the same. Only touch the bottom of the glass very lightly, and the letters, in time, feel the glass slowly moving towards letter after letter. You each ask your questions mentally (taking it in turns, so that there is no confusion), and the glass will spell out the answer.



# A PAGE FOR THE CHILDREN

## Uncle Ray

### Strange African Beliefs—In Nigeria

IN WESTERN AFRICA is the British colony known as Nigeria, a region larger than Spain and Italy combined. It is the home of about 18,000,000 people, almost all of them negroes.

There are a few Christian natives in Nigeria, and in the northern part are some Mohammedans, but the common religion of the people grew up in Africa. There are witch-doctors who teach the people about strange gods, and who try to cure the sick. Each village has at least one hut set aside for the use of witch-doctors. No one is allowed to go inside.

Among the gods given worship by these people are Olorun, Ifa and Oggun. If we should ask a witch-doctor to tell about them he might speak words with this meaning: "Olorun is the ruler of the sky. He is high and holy. If a person does a bad thing and is not caught, we do not need to worry because he will be punished by Olorun. When people die, they must go and tell him all they have done.

"Ifa is a god who knows what will happen in time to come. Once he lived on earth, and was the child of a poor man. During his youth, he had to beg his bread. Later he learned how to cure people who were sick, and to do magical things. One day he placed a palm-nut on a large rock, and from that single nut grew sixteen palm trees.

"When the sky-god found out about Ifa, he gave him still more power. After that, all that Ifa said came to pass. He was the first 'babalawo,' or witch-doctor, and we now make offerings to his spirit.

"Ogun is the god of iron and war and hunting. He lived before there were any people on earth. Blacksmiths give him special honor, because he has power over the iron they use. They sacrifice dogs to him, also fowls and palm-oil.

Hunters also honor Ogun, for he taught men how to hunt wild animals. Three trees are sacred to him, the peregrin, the akoko and the atori. The atori tree has very fine wood to use in making bows for the hunter, and the akoko has flowers with juice in them that people like to drink. Offerings are made to Ogun by men before they go forth to war.

It is a common sight to see the skull of a dog fastened on the wall of a shop of a native blacksmith, or iron-worker. This is proof that the man has made sacrifice to Ogun. There is a saying, "An old dog must not be offered to Ogun," which means that only young, strong dogs can be used in the sacrifice.

### Shango and Eshu

WITCH-DOCTORS in western Africa tell of many other deities. Let us see what they say about a very important god known as Shango:



Witch doctors of cannibal tribe in Africa's Ivory Coast.

"Shango is the ruler of thunder and lightning. He lives in the clouds, in a palace made of shining brass. If people make him angry, he hurls red-hot iron chains at them.

"Shango has another name, Jakuta, which means 'Stone-thrower.' There are songs, or chants, which tell how he throws stones.

"When a hut is struck by lightning, people rush there to find the stone thrown by Shango. A song in his honor has this meaning: 'Oh Shango, you are the master! You take in your hand the fiery stones when you are angry, and you punish those who have done wrong. Everything the stones strike is destroyed. The fire eats up the forest, the trees are broken down, and living beings are slain.'

The negroes of that part of Africa do not know what really happens when lightning strikes. They speak of 'fiery stones' breaking down trees and setting houses afire. We might say that lightning is a bolt of fire.

Another being of great power is known as Eshu, meaning 'Dark One.' Images of many gods and goddesses are taken into the homes of natives in western Africa, but not images of Eshu! His shrines are in the streets, for the people do not want to have such an evil spirit close to them while they sleep.

The images of Eshu are sometimes made of wood, showing him in human form. In other cases they are made of mud, heaped up in a little mound. Such a mound in a street is likely to have a small shed around it, with a roof of thatched palm-leaves. Cowrie shells are put near a shrine of this kind as offerings to the Dark One, and dogs and goats are sacrificed to him. This is done because the people are afraid of Eshu, not because they wish to honor him.

Witch-doctors of western Africa often wear strange masks, and the same may be said of those in other parts of Africa. Masks are put on when they dance before other tribesmen. Music is supplied chiefly by hollow-log drums.

### Charms of Witch Doctors

IN MANY PARTS OF AFRICA the witch-doctors make use of "fetiches" or "charms." In fact, the charms are their chief stock-in-trade.

A fetich may be a lion's claw, a lock of hair, a finger-nail, a piece of skin, a tooth, an image made from wood or bone, or some other object. Whatever it is, the witch-doctor tells the people it is a holy thing, and has great powers of magic.

One day a negro in Shemba-Shemba found that a knife he had owned was gone, and he believed it had been stolen. With little loss of time, he went to the witch-doctor and asked him to find who was the thief.

The witch-doctor had a fetich for just that sort of thing, a wooden image 'decked with tatters of every color.' Taking this to the street, he began to whip it with a switch, striking it on the face and shoulders. Then he shouted to the man, 'I will lay this charm down on the ground, and in the morning you will find your knife beside it.'

The charm did not really work, but an American trader made it seem to work. It happened that his shop was close to the spot where all the switching and shouting had been going on, and he had heard the promises. He knew the witch-doctor would keep trying to get the knife back for a week, if necessary. To save himself from hearing the noise again and again, he took a knife from his own stock and laid it beside the fetich that night. Next day the negro got a knife, and the witch-doctor was honored for bringing it to him.

The return of that knife might be called an 'accident,' but there are cases on record where charms really have brought back stolen property. This is explained by the fact that black folk are afraid of the fetiches, thinking they have spirits about them, spirits with power for evil as well as good.

Witch-doctors often wear masks of a fearful kind, and this adds to the worry of a person who has taken something which did not belong to him. He trembles as he hears a curse called against him if he does not return the stolen object. His fear often makes him step forward and say he is the guilty one.

Most charms are owned by the witch-doctors, but they sell some to other members of the tribe. There is a profit in this trade; the people are willing to give a good deal in exchange for powerful charms. One negro woman obtained a fetich which she thought so good that she would not trade it for four cows.



A pair of Chokwa witch doctors of East Africa.

## Meals

### One Man Ate 111 Plum Puddings At One Sitting; Another Ate Fifty Ham Pies

It is surprising to read what some people will do for the sake of setting up a record. Perhaps the most astonishing feat ever performed was the eating of 111 plum puddings at a single sitting! This was achieved by a young man from central Europe, who won a large sum of money in wagers when he had finished his huge meal.

Another greedy person, from London, at fifty veal and ham pies, one after the other, and completed his meal by having six helpings of pudding and a pound of cheese!

The oddest meal ever eaten was consumed by another Londoner, who swallowed a pound of nails, a packet of pins, a dozen stones and three tin whistles. He was taken to hospital, but came out later on, none the worse for his astonishing meal.

Other records include the shaving of a customer by a clever barber in just under half a minute, the keeping of one-seventh of an ounce of tobacco afloat in a pipe for one and a half hours, the reading of the complete Bible by relays of people in an American church in less than seventy hours, and the drinking of several gallons of beer at practically one draught.

Is it not odd what people will do to get their names in the papers and go one better than other people?

## DO YOU KNOW?

No fewer than 656 different items have been found in the stomachs of crows.

The magnetic poles of the earth are not directly opposite each other. A line running from one to the other would miss the centre of the earth by about 750 miles.

It is estimated that the sea contains enough salt to bury all land under a layer 400 feet deep.

About 600 B.C. Draco, the famous lawgiver, made a stirring speech and was smothered to death by a deluge of clothing. An Athenian gesture to show appreciation of speakers and actors.

Baron Kingsdale and Baron Forester, two peers of the realm, have the right to wear their hats in the presence of the King of England without special permission.

A cubic foot of water is convertible into 1,661 cubic feet of steam.

There are only five precious stones—diamonds, emeralds, opals, rubies, and sapphires.

Alligators are the only reptiles capable of making a loud noise: their bellowing can be heard for more than a mile.

A duck's tongue is more like that of a human being than a parrot's tongue.

Bamboo shoots grow about one inch an hour.

Indian teak companies lose several elephants each year because of cobra bites. A bite on the tip of the trunk, or on the foot at the base of the toenail, proves fatal to an elephant in about three hours.

The daily movement of tides is lengthening 1,000th part of a second every century.

A small lock of Napoleon's hair cut off in St. Helena, brought only \$5.25 at an auction in London in 1932.

The ancient Egyptians knew how to hammer native copper into knives, weapons, and other implements 8,000 years ago.

## House Cleaning In Doll Town



Now that the summer weather has nearly gone and many hours will be spent indoors during the wet weather-children are busy getting out their toys. The little girls in the above picture have their doll's house out in the back yard and they are doing their fall house cleaning. They are using the vacuum cleaner and are not missing a thing. Any other girls who have doll's houses and have not done their fall cleaning had better get busy.

## Gerry Takes a Prize

The local kennel club was holding its annual show, Gerry and his pal Ginger had walked past the field several times, wondering what all the fuss was about. And when the dogs began to arrive they both grew tremendously excited!

They barked derisively when the silken-haired pets, with their blue-ribbon bows, were carried tenderly into the big tents, and they growled horribly when the big dogs were led past on stout leather leads.

"It must be a show of some kind," said Ginger at last. "I've heard it said that people give prizes for good-looking dogs." And the little rascal gave his shaggy coat a shake, and stuck his tail in the air in an honest endeavor to improve his looks.

"Garn!" barked Gerry. "What sort of prizes? Sausages?"

"No," replied Ginger, "only medals and things."

"Who wants a medal?" snapped Gerry. "I'd much rather have a dog-biscuit."

And he went up to the fence, round the field, and sniffed at a lifelike reproduction of a famous make of such doggy delicacies.

He was vastly disappointed to find the "biscuits" a snare and a delusion, and Ginger's unfeeling laughter did not improve his temper. Then he had a bright idea. Perhaps they were advertising outside the field what was on show inside. The dog-biscuits might only be pictures outside the show, but surely there would be plenty of real ones inside.

Anyhow, Gerry meant to find out. It was not easy to get inside that field. Everybody seemed to have a ticket, and dogs were not admitted unless they had an owner to vouch for them. But did that deter Gerry and Ginger? Not a bit of it! It didn't take them long to find a hole in the fence, and once inside they made full use of their freedom.

But they could not find the place where dog-biscuits were being given away. They prowled from tent to tent, getting more and more downhearted, till they came to a long bench, where twenty or more dogs were sitting in a row.

"Here we are!" barked Gerry, joyously. "Take your place in the queue, Ginger, my lad."

And the pair leaped up, where there was a vacant space at the end of the line.

Remembering their manners, they kept perfectly still, and made no fuss at all. Two or three men-people, and a woman-person, were making their way slowly down the line, gazing at each dog on the long bench.

When they reached Gerry and Ginger the dogs gazed up at them appealingly. Gerry put on his most pathetic expression, and gave a plaintive little bark.

## Slang Becomes Good English

Did you know that many of the words you think of as slang today, will some day be accepted as perfectly good words to use?

This is the way it happens. When people are impressed by a new happening, they sometimes use an old word in a new way in referring to that thing.

For instance, the Puritans used to cast lots for the ownership of land and other things of value. And so "lots" soon came to mean the pieces of land which were thus distributed.

"Grit," referring to courage, was once a slang word, but has become an accepted part of our language.

For a time, slang words are used because people are fond of novelty.

Many of the popular words of today will belong only to our time. But there are others which, because of their expressiveness, will do their part as everyday words in the future.

## The Pronghorn

Wholly unique among living animals is our western pronghorn antelope, its herds now only a remnant of their once



uncountable thousands. All horned animals either have bony cores inside the horns, like cows and goats, or have solid horns, like deer and moose.

The solid-horned animals shed their horns once a year, the core-horned ones never shed them. But the pronghorn, alone of all horned creatures, has horns that grow over bony cores—and yet sheds them every year.

## ORDERS FROM THE HENS

A mother said to her little girl, "Sue, go out to the henhouse and gather the eggs."

The child ran out to get the eggs, and as she approached the henhouse, the hens began to cackle.

Sue ran back into the house, and when her mother inquired if she had gathered the eggs, she replied:

"No, mother; the hens told me, 'Look out, Sue! Look out, Sue!' And I just ran back into the house."

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE ESTIMATES THE YEARLY DAMAGE DONE BY INSECTS AT ABOUT TWO BILLION DOLLARS!

THE GULF STREAM HAS A MAXIMUM VELOCITY OF NEARLY FIVE MILES PER HOUR, WHICH IS EQUAL TO THAT OF MANY INLAND STREAMS.

The Department of Agriculture estimates the damage done by only thirty-four of the country's greatest insect pests at about \$900,000,000 yearly, with the boll weevil alone accounting for \$164,000,000. There are 700,000 known kinds of insects in the world, and about 50,000 of these live in North America.

## Willie Winkle

### Spanking

It seems that times have changed in regard to spanking—you know, being placed over somebody's knee and have your seat paddled or told to hold out your hand and get some good hard whacks.

I've been reading that practically none of the smart children stars in Hollywood ever get a spanking. Their parents reason with them.

That's quite a change from what I hear about the days when my grandfather and father were boys. They used to be taken out in the woodshed and given a real good spanking, sometimes with a rope. Perhaps that's why so many boys in those days ran away from home and went to sea on sailing ships.

And if you listen to some of the older people tell about their school days why the teachers then used to have cat-o'-nipe-tails, straps and even whips and if they couldn't find anything else when they lost their tempers they used the pointer. They used to lay it on with emphasis.

But today our teachers have to send to the principal to borrow the strap if they want to lick us. Lots of times I've had to go and borrow the strap—some job.

But let's get back to Hollywood and see what happens to the kids down there.

With one exception, mamas and papas of Hollywood's baby stars agree with New York psychologists who decided recently that spanking children is injurious. (Fathers and mothers of Victoria, please note.)

Spanky McFarland does get spanked. But not the others: Shirley Temple, Jane Withers, Freddie Bartholomew, Jackie Cooper, Virginia Weidler, Sybil Jason, Edith Fellows, or Baby Jane Quigley.

It's a cinch some of these kids deserve good lickings now and then, but their parents shudder at the very thought.

Perhaps even the slightest idea of whipping a family breadwinner, who earns more than a lot of bank presidents, would cause conscience trouble.

But this reason, of course, isn't included when the fond parents of the screen's starlets give their anti-spanking views.

The New York psychologists said that spanking for a child resulted in stubbornness, lack of intelligence, and misunderstanding of the difference between right and wrong. Hollywood's proud parents think along similar lines. With the exception, of course, of young Mr. McFarland's mama.

Mrs. McFarland says: "Spanky gets spanked when he deserves it. I don't see anything wrong with it."

The other mamas go to great lengths explaining just why they don't spank their famous offspring.

Says Shirley Temple's mother: "I do not spank Shirley and have never spanked her. Shirley is a person with whom one can reason. She understands why she is asked to do certain things and asked not to do others. If it would be an insult to Shirley and a violation of her personality to enforce obedience by physical punishment."

Says Jane Withers's mother: "Jane gets no spankings. I have never believed in bringing up children by means of the rod, or the ever-ready punishing palm. If punishment is necessary, Jane is far more deeply affected by the prospect of being deprived of something she likes to do than she would be by the fear of blows."

Says Freddie Bartholomew's aunt, Mylicent: "Freddie doesn't get spanked. I am not opposed to spanking, but think it seldom brings the desired results. I have stressed the moral side of his upbringing and he is quite convinced that wrongdoing brings its own punishment. His principal fault is untidiness, but I haven't been able to find any effective way to correct that yet."

Says Jackie Cooper's mother: "When Jackie requires correction, a good 'bawling out' usually accomplishes the desired effect. Cancellation of something he has been looking forward to is his worst punishment."

Says Baby Jane Quigley's mother: "Spanking fails to accomplish its purpose. Usually it is just an emotional outlet for the parent. A child often does naughty things just for the purpose of attracting attention, and spanking only provides a dramatic climax which the child may actually enjoy. Baby Jane is confined to her own room when she's bad."

Says Mrs. Elizabeth Fellows, grandmother of Edith Fellows: "Edith has never been spanked. I've reared her since she was six weeks old. If she does anything of which I disapprove, I quietly take her aside and point out that such an action may cause others to dislike her. She wants everyone to like her. Thus, my reasoning plan has always proved effective."

Likewise, few if any of the sons and daughters of the screen's great suffer good, old-fashioned spankings, or even slight palm whackings.

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## Sonny's Excuse

When children are not supposed to enter school before six years of age, it is surprising how absent-minded parents can be.

The mother brings Johnny to school. He was five years old when he left home, but twenty minutes later, when he arrives at school, he is six. Of course the mother does not mean to advance his age. It is just a case of absent-mindedness.

Because of this human tendency, it has often been necessary to ask for the birth certificate of children when they are enrolled, and sometimes the papers are sent by the child. As children have to bring written excuses from home for absences, every note from the parent to the teacher is called an excuse by the child.

One day a teacher met a little fellow in the hall of the school weeping bitterly. "What is the trouble, my little boy?" she asked. "Please," he wailed, "I lost my excuse for being born!"

—Bliss Carman.

The chickadee is as much at home hanging upside down as it is in an upright position.



# Making Light Safe For The Eyes

**L**IGHTING has always been somewhat intangible and difficult to define. For that reason it is mysterious to the average person and as a result of a lack of information eyes are caused needless suffering which often produces a train of ills.

Delicately exact in optical functions as the finest camera, perfectly balanced and synchronized in all parts as the most intricate watch, working sixteen hours each day for an average lifetime of fifty-nine years, the human eyes are in truth a most prized possession. So long-suffering and so uncomplaining are the eyes that their dependability and worth is often little appreciated.

Eyestrain is a penalty of indoor life. Hence, the reason glasses are more common among all indoor workers who read, write, or engage in considerable close work, than they are among workers such as sailors, hunters, surveyors, contractors and day laborers. All indoor life not only means close use of the eyes but most of all, it means working under artificial lighting which, from a standpoint of intensity, is far below that of outdoor illumination. From a standpoint of seeing, however, artificial light can be made just as satisfactory as daylight but when inadequately or improperly used, it causes eyestrain.

Growing children may tire easily, or their eyes may smart and burn after long hours of study at home. Yet, one cannot expect them to attribute these symptoms to inadequate lighting. They know little or nothing about artificial lighting, much less to detect the good from the bad. Nature, and perhaps environment, has taught them to take their lighting for granted.

A recent survey by the Illuminating Engineering Society to determine the reason why some 25 per cent of grade and high school children and 40 per

cent of college students had defective eyesight, showed the lighting in study-rooms to be abnormally low. Study-rooms in college dormitories and fraternity houses were seriously under-lighted.

Inadequate wiring or generators, sometimes both, made it necessary to restrict the size of lamp that students could use in many of these situations. Frequently, too, it was not physically possible to use, in the existing lighting fixtures, a lamp of a wattage sufficient to give adequate light.

As an outcome of these findings, the Illuminating Engineering Society drew up lighting performance specifications to permit freedom in the design and construction of a table lamp that would give the best illumination.

Leading electrical manufacturers were urged to make this lamp. Permission to identify their product by a tag bearing the insignia of the Illuminating Engineering Society and the Better Light-Better Sight Bureau, served as an inducement of inestimable merchandising value. Any lamp displaying this tag today, therefore, may be regarded as the best that money can buy, both in point of good lighting and in point of economical

A semi-indirect table lamp which produces plenty of light evenly distributed over a reasonably large area. It stands high so that ample light from a 100-watt bulb is cast over the table and also sends extra illumination to the ceiling to provide a good level of lighting.



operation, according to Mr. A. C. Dick, a Westinghouse engineer.

"For best results," says Mr. Dick, "a reading lamp should illuminate the entire desk top with light of proper direction and intensity. Some of the light should also be directed toward the ceiling so that the remainder of the room is lighted with indirect illumination. Even though this extra illumination may be of lower intensity, it removes sharp shadows and harsh contrasts between the light and dark areas in the room. Also it minimizes any tendency of re-

flected or direct glare on the work or reading matter.

"Be sure that the lamp bulb is large enough. A 75 or 100-watt lamp may be necessary to provide comfortable reading or study conditions. The average cost of using a 100-watt bulb as a source of light for home study throughout grammar and high school years amounts to about \$9 for the twelve years, or about 75 cents per year. Certainly there is no cheaper insurance against eyestrain.

"A reading light should not only have a large enough lamp to insure

*How Defective Sight and Its Long Train of Attendant Ills Can be Avoided by Using the Correct Type of Lamp to Give Proper Illumination*



When forced to read or work by a lamp that does not give the proper spread and intensity of light, children must sit in an unnatural position and often must squint to see comfortably.



The "goose-neck" lamp which, according to illuminating experts, produces light over a restricted area only and leaves the remainder of the room in darkness. The small bright spot on the desk top produces objectionable reflected glare from shiny pages.

sightedness. While still adolescent, their eyes have turned old, and they must wear eyeglasses to recapture their birthright of young eyes. Old eyes appearing in young people today as a result of inadequate lighting in the home and elsewhere, is nothing more than neglect of the rankst

Of course, all school children and college students do not study in dormitories and fraternity houses. The thousands who study at home, perhaps at the dining-room table, are subjected to lighting appointments often inadequate for the kind of work to be done.

The widest-ranging animals on the North American continent are the muskrat and the raccoon, each being found in forty-seven states. The former is not found in Florida and the latter shuns Montana.

Street lights in New York cause Carolina poplars and plane trees standing near them to retain their leaves longer than normal in autumn.

## New British Skull Find Rivals Piltdown

*Discovery In Old Thames Valley 180,000 Years Old; London Dentist Finds Bones Buried Twenty-four Feet*

LONDON.

**M**ERRIE ENGLAND'S oldest inhabitant, 180,000 years old, has been dug out of the ancient Thames Valley, near here. It is a human skull dug from river gravel twenty-four feet underground, by its discoverer, Dr. Alvan T. Marston, London dentist and archaeologist.

High importance is assigned to this forerunner of modern man who is coming to light in a succession of discoveries. The newest find, the left parietal bone of the skull, reveals how the top and sides of the ancient man's head were shaped.

From examination of the skull as it can now be fitted together, Dr. Marston pronounces this individual a creature of the Old Stone Age, definitely earlier and more primitive than England's famous Piltdown Man.

Pitdown Man is thus pushed down into second place among England's oldest inhabitants.

**DISCOVERIES ARE RARE**

The Stone Age man now coming to light belonged to a stage of culture so early that man had not yet learned to bury his dead. It is only some



Famous Pitdown Man, former oldest known Englishman, is shown at right as J. H. McGregor of the American Museum of Natural History has reconstructed him. In the center is the first view to reach America of the new-found skull of a rival for the title of Oldest Englishman. At left is a European version of Pitdown Man's appearance, modeled by Mascre.

fortunate chance that enables researchers to find part of one of these rare skeletons, and perhaps, if very fortunate, to extract from the earth nearby some of the stone weapons that the primitive fellow and his associates had used in hunting. Such weapons, and bones of animals of the

time are highly valuable clues to the past when the original was alive. The discoveries by Dr. Marston have been made in gravel of a 100-foot Thames terrace at Swanscombe, in Kent. The bones are fossilized, and are described as in a remarkable state of preservation. Enough of the skull

is now available. Dr. Marston has reported to scientific journals, and new fuel to the long, hot controversy over the age and character of England's oldest specimen of man.

**SCIENTISTS ARGUE OVER SKULL**

Dr. Marston's discoveries, now being reported to scientific journals, add new fuel to the long, hot controversy over the age and character of England's oldest specimen of man. Fragments of the curious skull found at Pitdown in 1912 have heretofore been accepted as "England's oldest" but the skull has been a bone of scientific contention ever since it came into the limelight.

So, apes-like was the jaw of the Pitdown Man that scientists dubbed him Eoanthropus, meaning the Dawn Man. Some anthropologists have considered that this Dawn Man must have been almost as old as that grandfather of all ancient men, Pithecanthropus the Ape-Man of Java. And some who examined the Dawn Man's fragmentary remains said he might be an earlier type of creature than even Pithecanthropus himself.

Other scientists argued from other clues, and pointed out that the Dawn Man had a good forehead and that they refused to believe he ever made the crude stone implements found near him and thought to be fitting tools of a Dawn Man's clumsy fingers. England's Dawn Man, these scientists said, was old, indeed, but more of a man and perhaps 100,000 years or so younger than the most radical theorists believed.

**LIVED 180,000 YEARS AGO**

The age when the Dawn Man of Pitdown lived has thus shifted back one-fourth of the life of the present, between 100,000 and 300,000 years ago.

Now, Dr. Marston enters this controversy with the declaration that his Stone Age discovery was a man of the same general type as the Pitdown specimen, but earlier and more primitive. And the age of the new specimen for first inhabitants of England is judged to be no earlier than 180,000 years ago. This is based on the tools found near the bones.

**STONE TOOLS FOUND**

These tools have been referred for examination to the noted French archaeologist, Abbe Henri Breuil. He classifies them as the kind of stone

craft achieved by men in the Acheulean period of the Old Stone Age. When Europeans made the Acheulean type of tool—named after the place in France where these tools were first found—the Stone Age was still extremely primitive and savage, but men had learned to use their hands to make good stone tools and weapons.

The verdict that the new Dawn Man lived no earlier than about 180,000 years ago would lend support to the faction of scientists who have considered Pitdown Man not extremely ancient and ape-like. However, even robbing the British Dawn Men of evolutionary crudeness still leaves them distinct. They are being revealed as very early and remarkable patterns of humanity, patterns which appear to have been discarded before Homo sapiens, the modern type of man, began his spectacular rise toward civilization.

### Turnip Sauerkraut

**T**URNIP sauerkraut is a new appetizing food suggested by the United States Department of Agriculture. It has been found that a good sauerkraut can be made from medium-sized, purple-top turnips which should be firm, sweet and juicy in order to allow proper fermentation and flavor.

The fleshy part of the root is ground or shredded and mixed with salt at the rate of four ounces of salt to ten pounds of turnips. The mixture is then packed in stone jars, weighted down, and allowed to ferment.

### Color of Gems Is Important

**C**OLOR is of supreme importance in determining the value of gems. Next in value to a red diamond comes a green. A few years ago a very dark colored diamond was found near Johannesburg. When cut it proved to be emerald green and, though it weighed only one and a half carats it was sold for \$1,850.

A bright red diamond found near Kimberley was sold for \$4,500, though its weight is only six carats. It is thus worth more than four times as much as a colorless diamond. The value of an opal depends entirely on its color. A common opal in white, greenish, yellowish or bluish colors is cheap, but a fire opal is worth a great deal of money.

Most valuable of all is the so-called black opal. A gem of this kind, weighing only 225 carats, sold for \$25,000.

### How Great Queen Ate Her Meals

**Q**UEEN ELIZABETH of England was quite the grandest diner of all. To spread her tablecloth, she required two gentlemen, one bearing a rod and the other the cloth. They would majestically enter the banquet hall, kneel thrice, lay down the cloth and wait while two more gorgeously appareled gentlemen, one brandishing another rod and the second holding aloft the salt-cellar, the plates, and the bread, marched in to kneel three times before the table.

After the table was set, an unmarried duchess entered clad in white and displaying the tasteful knife, accompanying her was a married woman, and both prostrated themselves before the table. Next they rubbed the plates and bread with salt.

Only a company of Yeomen of the Guard sufficed to carry the actual food into the room, twenty-four dishes for one queen! Because of Elizabeth's

### Plenty of Ultraviolet



New light on the puzzling problem of why green vegetables are notoriously lacking in vitamin D is coming from experiments at the Albany Medical College, Albany, N.Y., made by Prof. Arthur Knudson (above left) and Frank Benford of the General Electric Co. Using the device shown, which splits up ultraviolet radiation into any wavelength wanted for study, the scientists have found that intermittent or moderate doses of ultraviolet rays will aid the formation of vitamin D but that intense and prolonged exposure will destroy the vitamin. It is the latter condition which exists in plants.

excessive dread of being poisoned, every soldier was compelled to take a mouthful of whatever he had brought in. During all this time, the blare of

twelve trumpets and two kettledrums was being heard, and to the tune of this music a swarm of young, unmarried ladies now began to transport the food from the original table to the Queen's private chamber. What Elizabeth failed to eat had to be consumed by this cortege to relieve the Queen's mind about any danger of being poisoned.

Presiding over this lavish and complicated ceremony was the Officer of the Mouth, whose cardinal instructions were to "set never on fish, flesh, roast, or fowl more than two fingers and a thumb." This was the prime rule of table etiquette, but Queen Elizabeth, being above the law, could and did pick up many a drumstick in a manner not prescribed by court etiquette.

### Roman Numerals

**B**ECAUSE the ancient Romans counted according to the decimal system, they adopted certain letters of the Latin alphabet as signs of different numbers.

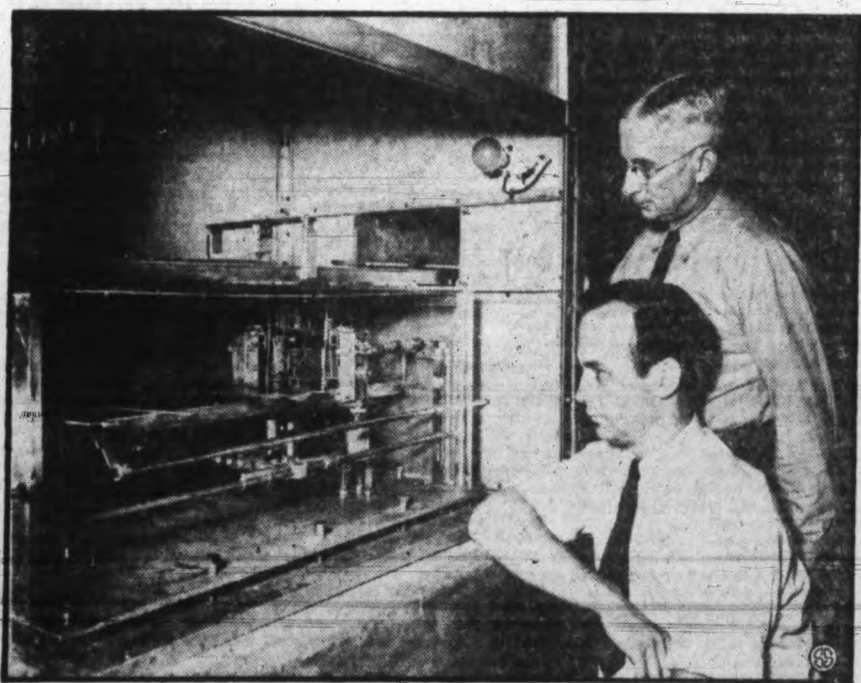
Starting with the letter X, which the Romans used as the letter-sign for the number ten, they found that they had to distinguish the numbers before the X sign. Now, V is just the upper half of X, so if X equals ten, V equals five.

See how it grows! I, II, III, four was one before five, or IV, and six one after or VI, and so on.

For the larger numbers the Romans took the C from "centum," the Latin word, which means 100, and the lower half of this became the L for fifty. They took the M from "mille," the word for 1,000. Now, the M was shaped like two D's back to back, so they took one D and made it stand for half 1,000—or 500.

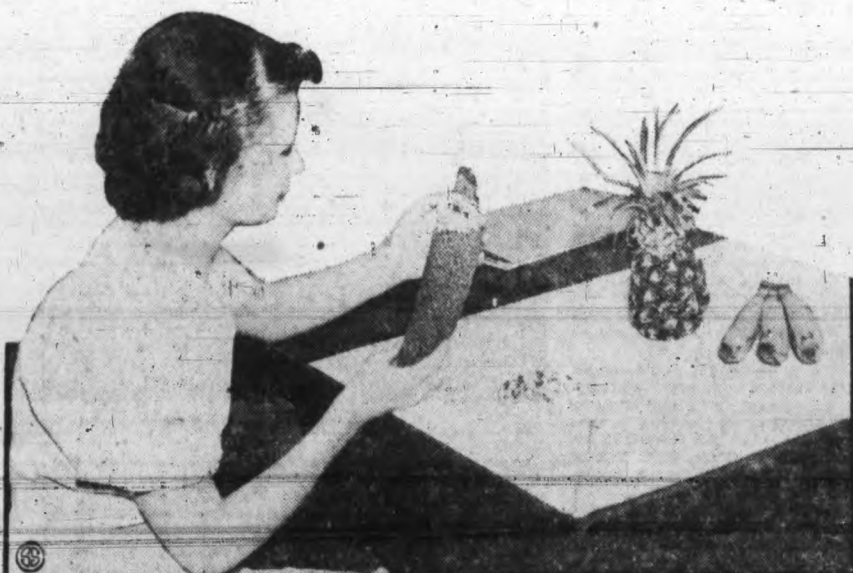
This explanation should make it much easier for anyone to remember how to read and write Roman numerals.

## Machine Shows Ounce of Oil Wets Twenty Acres



Oil films so thin that a mere ounce of oil would cover fifteen to twenty-acre pond have been produced with this new polymolecular apparatus devised by Dr. W. D. Harkins (standing) and Dr. Robert J. Myers (sitting) of the University of Chicago. These chemists have discovered that the molecules that make up films can stand on end. Or they can lie over more and take up more room. Or they can lie down completely. Lying down molecules of an ounce of oil will cover the fifteen to twenty acres, while the upright molecular films will cover only three and a half acres of water surface. The experiments are expected to throw new light on the films found useful in lubrication, paint, printing, medicine and biology.

## Florida's New Fruit for Your Table



This odd-looking fruit, new to northern markets, is now being sold on fruit stands as a "cross between pineapple and banana." Actually it is neither, and botanists hoot at the idea that it could be. The correct name is ceriman. It is known to botanists as *Monstera deliciosa*, and sometimes to fruit dealers as the "delicious monster." It is a native of Central America and Mexico, and is grown in Florida. It grows on a climbing plant with large leaves that look something like the ornamental plant called "elephant ear," except that they have holes in them. The fruit reminds one of a pine cone, but when it opens the small hexagonal parts of the rind burst loose and fall off, exposing white meat in kernels something like an ear of corn. The flavor is truly delicious. Although not related to either pineapple or banana, it does resemble the one in exterior marking and the other in shape, and both a trifle in flavor.





## Reclothing Apple Trees In Tasmania

IN TASMANIA now, where the apple trees are in blossom, you would probably see men going around tearing all the branches off a tree in the orchard until it stands naked, and bare like a huge umbrella which has been blown inside out and lost all its silk.

They are converting a tree from an old variety to a new one and by means of this drastic action they can change a tree around and make it produce a sizeable crop in eighteen months.

By multiple grafting, the stripped tree is reclothed with small branches—scions of the new variety. If sufficiently long scions are used a fair crop can be taken off the tree in the second year after the operation.

This and other interesting things, P. H. Thomas, chief horticulturist for Tasmania, told your correspondent when he passed through here on his way back to the antipodes a short time ago.

Tasmania, which is a little bigger than Ireland, has 23,000 acres in orchards and produces 3,000,000 bushels of apples. Only 1 per cent of this crop is consumed by the 300,000 inhabitants of the Australasian island the rest of it being exported. Over 3,000,000 bushels are shipped to Europe, while the neighboring states of Queensland and New South Wales take about 1,500,000 bushels.

Summer pippin, an English apple rather like a yellow Newton, is the most popular variety among Tasmanian orchardists. Cleopatra, which is the same as the New York pippin, also ranks highly, as do the Jonathan, Delicious and Cox's orange pippin. Apples well known among provincial growers Democrat, a Tasmanian variety rather like a wine-sap, is considered to be the best storage apple, while Granny Smith is a golden apple in more ways than one. The latter is the most popular high-priced apple in the world, according to Mr. Thomas, and brings from sixty cents to \$1.00 a bushel more than the average apple. It is rather like a golden delicious in appearance.

PRACTICALLY the entire 23,000 acres, which is cut up mainly into fifteen and twenty acre orchards, are grown without irrigation. This is quite remarkable when you consider that Tasmania's rainfall is twenty-five to thirty-three inches a year.

Mr. Thomas, who has just completed a seven weeks tour of the western states and British Columbia, saw a difference in pruning on either side of the Pacific. Tasmanian apple trees were trained in a vase shape, he said, which allowed for the drastic grafting which was described at the beginning of this article.

On a trip which combined business with pleasure, the antipodean horticulturalist studied methods of grading and packing apples in the states of California, Nevada, Utah, Wyoming, Idaho, Washington, and also in this province. Beside remarking on the co-operation between growers and the agricultural department and the marketing organizations, he said:

"You are fortunate in having such fine experimental stations. We have only a small area set aside for the introduction and breeding of new and improved pomes, drupes and berries."

By pomes Mr. Thomas meant all tree fruit such as apples, pears, quinces, etc. Drupes were stone fruit such as plums, prunes, etc.

## Garden Hints For This Week

Climbers on walls should be securely tied to protect them from strong winds. For the wall, roses, wisteria, jessamine, summer and winter flowering, pyracantha, ivy, ampeop, polygonum cotoneaster, etc., may be utilized.

The storing of vegetables and fruits should be carefully dealt with.

There is no reason why the garden should take on such a bedraggled appearance at this time. Clean it up and place all leaves which can be gathered on the compost heap.

Toward the end of October get some of the largest August-down cabbage planted out; no manure is to be added to the soil at this time. Make the soil good and firm.

Late celery in some cases is yet to be earthed up. Provide protection that can easily be thrown over the plants.

Gather all the tomatoes changing color. The green ones may be taken in too, if there is fear of heavy frost. Laid one layer in flats or wrapped in paper they will ripen nicely.

Manure will disappear during the winter if applied to a light sandy soil. It is wise to give the clayey, retentive soil a dose of manure now. Feirly-fresh material can be used when applied at this time.

After the leaves have fallen pruning may be commenced. Begin with the small fruits.

Do not cut the tops of the new raspberry canes even now.

When draining the site for a new lawn, it is a good plan to place from four to six inches of clinkers over the drain pipe. In fact, it would be good practice any time.

October is a good month to begin moving trees, and unless there is enough rain to thoroughly soak the ground they should be well watered in. It is not enough to dig a deep hole to receive a tree, the land all about should be deeply trenched as well. Sprigged out the roots and see that the soil gets between them and no air pockets are left.

Raspberry canes may be planted toward the end of the month. Use moderately strong canes.

## SILO GIANTS

By CERES

YOU WOULD need a ladder to see that sunflower and you could easily get lost in the corn "forest" over there.

It sounds like a passage from "Gulliver's Travels," but these Brobdignagian plants are grown by farmers around Victoria.

Vic Simpson, Saanich dairyman, was a giant killer when he cut down his sunflowers this year. He got such a phenomenal crop that three acres were enough to half fill his huge 200-ton silo.

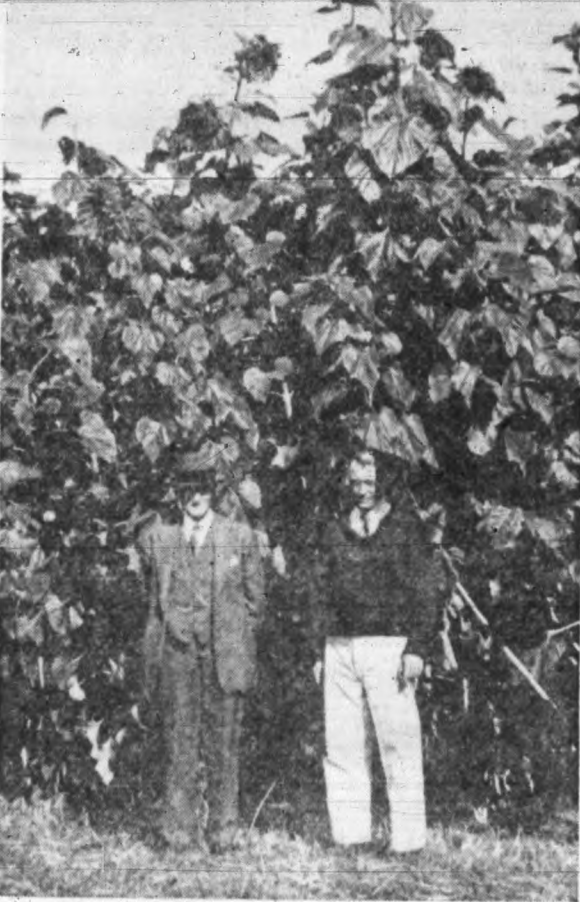
Height is always a bit difficult to judge and tempts one to exaggerate, but Mr. Simpson actually measured what he believed was the tallest and it stretched the tape to eighteen feet. He believes that his whole crop averaged over fifteen feet.

The corn of J. P. Deane of Dean's Daily, Mount Tynine, which flanks

Shelbourne Road near Cedar Hill Cross Roads, has made many an amateur gardener green with jealousy. It stands in serried ranks twice as tall as a man, and those that really "reached for the moon" must be over fourteen feet.

Such huge crops are not due to any "giant" or "frank" year. They are the result of careful cultivation and plenty of manure and fertilizer.

As a MATTER OF FACT it is a good thing that Victoria can grow great crops of sunflowers and corn



Photographic proof of the enormous sunflowers grown on the farm of Vic Simpson, Saanich dairyman, is shown in the above picture of Mr. Simpson and a friend standing beside part of his huge crop.

Sunflower Eighteen Feet Tall; Corn Over Fourteen Feet High



W. D. Michell, Keating farmer, is dwarfed by the forest of corn surrounding him in the above picture.

because, dairying on the lower island depends to a large extent on them. By and large, silage probably provides 50 per cent of the feed for the city's milk producers, and corn and sunflower are the main silage crops.

Of course it is difficult to generalize and it is possible that there are wholesalers of milk who do not feed their cattle any silage, but for the retailer it is absolutely essential. It provides the animals with succulent feed which is necessary to keep the milk flow constant. It is a substitute for green stuff and it is particularly important here where the dairyman feeds silage all the year round because of dry summers and poor pastures.

Silage is too expensive, many farmers argue. It is true elaborate wooden or concrete silos cost money to erect but the corn and sunflowers can be just as well though not as conveniently stored in trench silos. These have their origin in Roman history and are still being used today. The fodder is chopped up and stored in a specially dug trench much in the way potatoes or root crops are pit-pitted. A full account of this cheap method of silage can be obtained in a circular written by Paul C. Black for the Provincial Department of Agriculture.

YOU CAN ONLY get out of the land what you put into it. This truism should be painted in hold letters on every farm door and it applies in particular to Vic Simpson's tremendous sunflowers.

This spring Mr. Simpson dumped cartloads of manure on to his three acres of bottom land. But he was not content at that. He got some agricultural experts to take a look at the land. They advised a 4-10-10 fertilizer. He drilled this into the ground with a seed drill on the day he drilled the seeds in, only he sowed the fertilizer "about an inch and a half to two inches deeper than the corn and sunflower."

He sowed a mixture of corn and sunflower, but the sunflower grew so fast that it choked the corn. Mr. Simpson points out that it is almost impossible to grow corn well on bottom land, but sunflowers grow to gigantic size there.

All the manure in the Dean's Dairy goes back on to the farm. The wonderful crop of corn was the result of 150 loads of manure which was dumped on three acres of land two years ago. This enormous amount of fertilizer was for only two crops.

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The utilization of power on farms on the prairies is an important factor in farm organization and management, and, as relatively little information has been available concerning it, the Dominion Department of Agriculture, supported by a request from the Western Canada Livestock Union, undertook a study of the various economic aspects of this problem.

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**Horses Are Still Chief Power Source**

That horses are still the most important source of draught power on farms in western Canada is one of the many findings in an economic analysis of farm power in certain districts of Alberta and Saskatchewan recently issued by the Dominion Department of Agriculture.

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## Making a Rockery Fit Into Garden

This is the seventh in a series of articles by John A. Grant. Today he discusses the rockery as a unit in the garden design.

By JOHN A. GRANT, F.R.H.S.

HERE, in Victoria, so many gardens have outcroppings of bedrock, in fact some sites are little else but bare rock. This has naturally encouraged the development of many fine rock gardens. Unfortunately, however, many have treated their rock as an obstacle rather than as the valuable asset which it is. All too frequently the tendency is to treat a steep slope or bold bluff of rock as if it were something to be covered up with really, it should be displayed as an object of beauty in itself.

If you have a handsome outcropping, make it the feature of your garden; plan everything you do to accentuate and enhance the beauty of your rock. Do not cover it up with climbing roses or build little beds on top of it, or perch them clinging to the sides. You see, weathered rock introduces the naturalistic element into your garden, and consequently you have to adopt a naturalistic style if you are going to obtain satisfactory results. Clean out crevices in the rock and fill them with a good rock garden soil mixture and plant with suitable plants; on bare flat ledges many of the sedums (stonecrops) will be happy with less than an inch of soil, as will most hardy succulents.

Considerable character is given to the planting by using a conifer here and there for an accent point. For this purpose you select a young seedling or rooted cutting of a rather vigorous variety and wash its roots deep down into a cleaned crevice. The smaller the crevice the more vigorous the variety of conifer you must choose; pines will stand more starved than most evergreens, but many of them will outgrow their position in a small garden unless the crevice is quite small and tight.

A shrub, or rather miniature tree, that is used for dwarfing the Japanese almost as much as their beloved pines is Retinospora obtusa gracilis nana, which is a relative of our native cedars. Its habit is very neat at all times and it seems to stand any amount of starving without becoming scraggy or losing its deep emerald green color. There are many varieties of Retinospora obtusa, in commerce but this is the most valuable one for the rock garden—Retinospora obtusa variety gracilis nana. None of the spruces will stand being very starved, they always look unhappy after a time, but most other conifers will adapt themselves if they are planted out young enough.

WHEN you have an outcropping with plenty of crevices in it you can have an end of fun landscaping it, especially if you keep before you the idea of creating a perfectly composed picture, and struggle to avoid the museum effect. While every situation requires individual treatment, it may be stated as a general rule that an outcropping should be treated or planned with a very heavy shrub mass arranged in a simple graceful sweep, while the approach should be an equally graceful sweep of turf. Sometimes you have an outcrop ending in a sheer cliff, which needs careful treatment to give it its full significance.

One of the best ways is to build a long, narrow pool at its base with the water lapping against it and with no foreground planting, just close-clipped turf running right to the water's edge. Do not ever use a row of small rocks, cemented in around the edge of the pool; it will look far more natural and in keeping with its surroundings if you make a flat lip of cement and carry your turf or soil for bog planting right over the top of it so that no crevice appears.

It is so very easy to spoil a beautiful piece of natural rock that you should give the matter a great deal of careful thought before tackling the job. Remember that the important thing is to avoid, wherever possible, the appearance of a man-made construction. Ask yourself: Would that look really out of place in the wild? If so, you have not developed your rock to best advantage. In planting, simplicity is the keynote. Do not try to grow too many different kinds of plants, just grow a few of the best and choicest that are most suited to your conditions.

WHEN your rock garden is built entirely of imported rock, you have a much greater freedom of choice of situation, type of material and style of construction. However, there are just as many pitfalls set for the unwary and inexperienced in using imported rock as in developing the natural outcropping. A few "don'ts" will perhaps be helpful:

Don't use small rocks unless you absolutely have to; use large rocks if more effective than ten smaller ones.

Don't set your rocks on top of the soil; they should be buried to about two-thirds of their depth.

Don't build up a series of walls or terraces, avoid a stepped line.

Don't space out a series of rocks on a bank like decorations on a cake; use a strong group of four or five rocks set closely together and then leave an irregular open space.

Don't let your construction be disjointed in effect; a stuffed harmony of outline before a single plant is in place is an absolute essential.

The type of rock you use will largely

determine the style of your construction. If you are fortunate enough to obtain beautifully weathered rock you may simulate a natural outcropping if you wish. This style of construction is by far the most difficult to do well, but is most attractive and well worth the extra trouble. Those wishing to study the subject should read Symons Jeune's book, "Natural Rock Gardening"; it will amply repay a careful study.

If you use sharp trap rock you cannot obtain as good an effect as with weathered rock, but it can be very pleasing if you use your rock as sparingly as possible, allowing plenty of open space between your bold groups. As a last resort you may have to use really looking rounded boulders, but do not unless you really have no other choice. If handled very carefully by an artist even boulders may be made into an interesting arrangement, a streambed with bamboos and rhododendrons, Japanese and Siberian iris planted along its banks.

IF YOU incorporate a pool with your rock garden, as many do, you should build the water-tight concrete shell of your pool before you embark upon any other construction. When this is built and you are satisfied that it is strong and quite water-tight, you start to build the rock garden right in the bottom of the pool; build carefully, just as if it were not going to be covered with water. All the rocks must be solidly based on the floor of the pool and on one another, not resting on soil or they will slip. A small dab of cement will hold the bottom rocks in place. Of course the pool must be situated logically at the lowest point where the water would naturally tend to collect and so your rock garden is built up in a continuous sweep from the pool; with a deep bluff lovely reflection effect may be obtained and on more gradual slopes the transition from bog to dry planting offers wonderful opportunity for the skillful blending of interesting plant material. The pool should nearly always be approached at one point at least by a sweep of turf leading right to the water's edge.

There is a great deal more that should be said about rock garden design, but time will not permit of a more detailed discussion at this time and, before closing, I feel I should give a definition of a term I used a little while ago, "a good rock garden soil mixture."

When people start their rock gardening the first plants they grow, such as aubretia, arabis and alysium, known commonly as blue, white and yellow rock, are of such a nature that the soil they are planted in is of little consequence. When one starts to grow real alpine, "the little children of the hills," however, one soon finds that they are much more fastidious in their tastes. In their native mountain homes, where the alpine is short, they have enormous root systems spread about in deep, poor rocky soil, constantly fed by the melting snows but always with absolutely perfect drainage.

This is the most necessary condition that must be provided for the alpine in our gardens—drainage. So, the soil in our rock garden should be at least two feet deep and the soil mixture should be something like this: 2 parts light, friable garden loam, 1 part coarse sand, 1 part well decayed leaf-mould or peat, and a mixture of both, and 1 part crushed rock screenings. That mixture may be varied to suit the requirements of individual plants, but it will suit the general run of good alpine admirably.

## Seed Laboratory

THE ESTABLISHMENT of a seed laboratory in British Columbia was broached at a recent conference between Dominion Government seed experts and officials of the Provincial Department of Agriculture, according to information received from reliable sources.

Seed growers in the province will be interested in this, as up to the present they have had to send their samples for inspection to the laboratory at Calgary. Owing to the rapid growth of the industry here the prairie laboratory has been flooded and inspection work has been a slow business.

The location of this laboratory has not been decided, but it is the general expectation that it will be at a convenient coastal station in the centre of the seed-growing area. This would probably mean Vancouver.

Reports from these sources indicated that an early start would be made and the laboratory will probably be in operation before the end of the year. The personnel for the new laboratory was not disclosed. It was pointed out that the work might be only seasonal.

The seed experts who discussed this matter with the Provincial Department of Agriculture were Nelson Young, Dominion Seed Commissioner, Ottawa; W. H. Wright, chief seed analyst, Ottawa; and G. M. Stewart, district seed inspector in charge of Alberta and British Columbia, Calgary.

The visit of Mr. Young to the island was his first in his capacity of Dominion Seed Commissioner since his appointment last November. During his brief stay here he visited seed growers and the experimental station.

## He Has To Stop Himself Winning

District Display Only Thing Left For John Naysmith

By A. L. P. S.

JOHN NAYSMITH, who made horticultural history recently by winning the district display competition at both the Victoria and Vancouver fairs for the third time in succession, has had to present cups in order to stop himself winning.

For eight years he won the grand aggregate at the Victoria Horticultural Society's summer show. The Lieutenant-Governor Nichol trophy went to him outright, but the next cup, presented by Dr. Stanley Miles, was made perpetual. After he had his name scratched on it five times, Mr. Naysmith suggested to show officials that they give him the silverware and he himself would present another trophy which he naturally could not compete for, because it would bear his own name. This they gladly did because Mr. Naysmith was becoming a menace in that his repeated winning was discouraging competitors.

Among his possessions at his home on St. James Street are several more challenge cups including the Renlie & Taylor Trophy for the best display of potted plants at the summer show. But Mr. Naysmith has not confined his winnings to exhibitions. In 1932 the Victoria Horticultural Society's trophy for the best garden in the city came to him after he had won it three times in succession. He presented another one thus eliminating himself from further competition in this field. Recently, perhaps remembering his "early days of exhibiting," Mr. Naysmith presented another cup for the largest number of points won by novices at the monthly competitions of the Victoria Horticultural Society.

HAVING put himself out of major competition by giving prizes, Mr. Naysmith was not content to rest on his laurels. He looked around for further fields to conquer. The district display class was the biggest thing provincial fairs had to offer. He decided to shoot for the highest and last great trophies.

In conjunction with the Victoria Horticultural Society, he staged his first district display in 1933. He didn't care very much where he placed when he went to Vancouver. What he was after was knowledge and experience. While the judging was on, he went around and carefully examined every exhibit. He jotted down everything they were showing and drew maps of how they had arranged them.

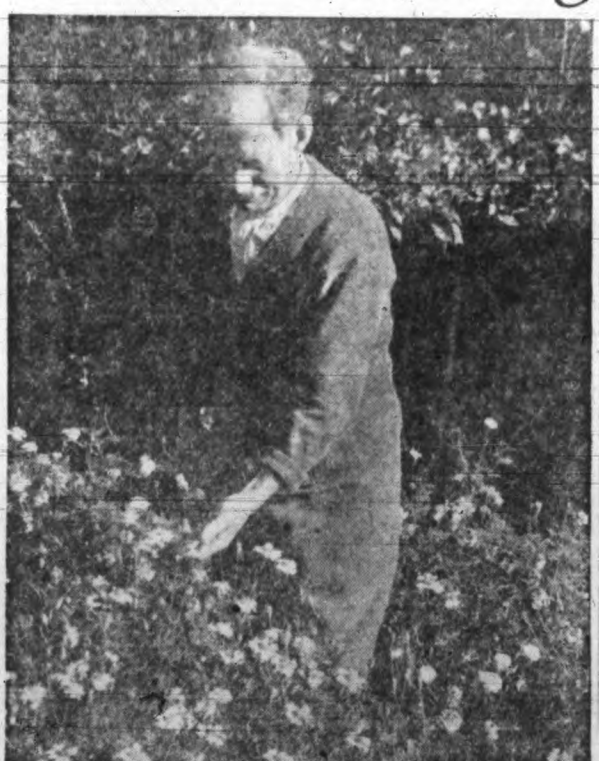
He placed third at Vancouver. But what he had learned there stood him in good and he came second at Victoria.

Since then Mr. Naysmith has never been beaten. He has set a new record by winning three times in succession at Victoria and Vancouver. Harvey Parrishall, Surrey's great gardener, won three times at Victoria but only twice at Vancouver. Now the man whom he copied copy him.

"You've got to have new ideas and make changes every year," Mr. Naysmith declared, promising that he had something up his sleeve for next year. The honey on a revolving platform with a hidden light shining through the bottles was his innovation this year. In order that his competitors would not copy it he hid it behind a screen until the judges came along at Vancouver.

MR. NAYSMITH has already begun work on next year's exhibit. He has made a plan of how he is going to arrange the two tons of produce on the ninety-five yards of velvet in the 360 square feet of floor space. During the winter he cleans and graces the seed, paying particular attention to the grading.

The \$400 at Vancouver and the \$300 at Victoria are not "easy money" by



Mr. Naysmith in his garden.

any means, for the district exhibit is a whole year's job.

Mr. Naysmith grows only the vegetables. The rest of the produce needed in the display is collected from island farmers and housewives.

"I know nothing can beat our Victoria grain and roots," Mr. Naysmith declared. "My apples this year weren't so good, and Langley had some wonderful apples. That was the reason for there being three-quarters of a point difference between us. If I had had good apples I would have beaten Langley by twenty points."

There is no greater advertisement for the climate and fertility of the farming districts around Victoria than

the winning of the district display at the provincial fair, and the city council has recognized this by sending Mr. Naysmith a letter of appreciation.

Based in Dalkeith, Scotland, in 1929, Mr. Naysmith still has a slight burr in his speech. Apprenticed as a gardener on the estate of the Duke of Buccleugh at twelve years old, for some unknown reason, because his heart and soul seems to be in the land, he never became a professional.

Instead he was a coal miner until 1912 when he came to Vancouver Island. Since 1915 he has been a janitor at the Parliament Buildings and for the last three years night foreman.

## Vegetables Which Have Vitamin A

Vitamin A helps growth and vitality and is needed by all the human family of every age. Protection is given to the body against diseases, especially of the nose, throat and lungs.

Vitamin A is found in spinach, lettuce, beans, carrots, kale, watercress, broccoli, sweet potatoes, cabbage, brussels sprouts, etc.



# Fur Trimming Is Winter Fashion Edict

## Pelts Are Used Lavishly On Most Attractive Coats; Black Favored Color

By MARIAN YOUNG

THE NICEST winter coats are lavishly enough trimmed with fur to warm your interest as well as your person. They are made of sleek broadcloth or various nubby woolens and cut to fit as smoothly as dresses. The swing silhouette (full skirt, nipped-in waist, molded bodice) is the biggest news. Black is the headlined color. Dark greens and rich autumn browns are tied for second place.

### SWAGGERS SHOULD BE CONSERVATIVE

If you have a fur coat or one good all-around model for everyday, let your new coat be more formal. How about a black broadcloth one with bands of silver fox, a flared skirt and a fitted waist that makes you look pencil slim? Or a dark brown type of nubby, extremely rough woolen with upstanding cross or red fox collar and a band of matching fur around the bottom of the skirt?

If you are looking for a more casual type, consider swaggers, of course, but swaggers that are not too full and which are trimmed with narrow bands of some flat, tailored-looking fur. When you start out to select a complete winter ensemble, by all means get your coat first, then suits, dresses or whatever to harmonize with it. Unless you can have more than one or two coats, look for a rather conservative style that will be right with everything you buy. A slightly flared model with fur used discreetly certainly

will do for more than one season.

### COLLAR WANDERS DOWN SLEEVE

Among the most interesting coats in current collections right now are Rosevienna's afternoon versions, trimmed with fur (generally astrakhan), cut into leaf and flower effects that form snug, high collars.

Chanel trims a navy blue seven-eighth redingote suit with light, shaded grey astrakhan, cut out in tiny circles to match the front fastenings. This is worn with a fur cap to match. Another important Paris couturier uses a huge silver fox collar on a dressy afternoon coat of black broadcloth, lets the fox extend downward on the left sleeve, then rolls it twice around the elbow.

There is a fine selection of tweeds for travel, football games and knockabout wear. In all the popular autumn leaf shades, from tobacco leaf brown to maple leaf orange, these often are trimmed with lovely wolf, lynx or raccoon.

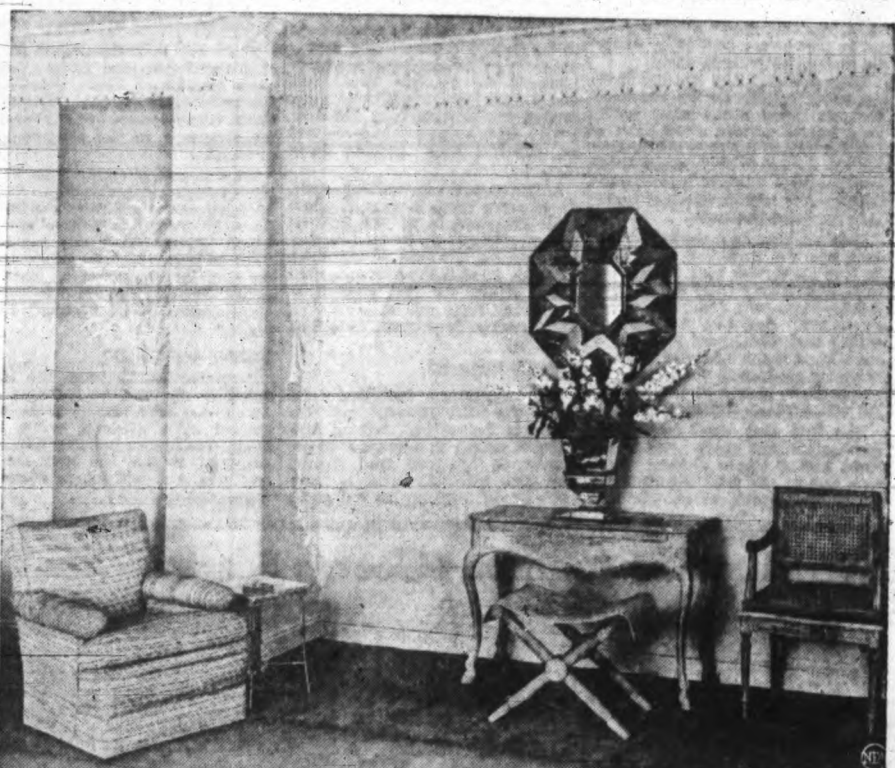


For that something different in a winter coat, how about this one of rough black woolen? It has a luxurious silver fox collar that extends downward along the left sleeve and is rolled twice around the arm at the elbow. The neckline is fastened with a jeweled clip.



The intriguing fur details used this season are designed to warm your interest in smart new winter clothes as well as to keep you comfortable when the north wind whistles 'round your ears. There's a high standaway collar and side plastrons of deep brown Persian lamb on the coat at left. It is made of beige nubby wool, has a flared peplum and interesting frog fastening at the neckline. A huge red fox collar adorns the black broadcloth suit at right.

## BEST MODERN INTERIORS BOAST AGELESS BEAUTY



A corner of a modern drawing-room, designed by Elsie de Wolfe, illustrating the effective use of plaster draperies and modern cornice treatment. The walls are pale grey, contrasting with the severe white plaster. The plaster vase in the corner niche is electrified.

Whether her home is a bungalow, a one-room apartment or a mansion, every woman wants to make it as attractive as possible. Elsie de Wolfe (Lady Mendl), chosen by King Edward VIII to redecorate Buckingham Palace, offers her expert advice in a series of four weekly articles, of which this is the third. The fourth article will appear next week and has to do with the decorations in homes of famous persons.

By ELSIE DE WOLFE

I THINK modern is the only new thing in interior decoration and, therefore, the most interesting. Its introduction in America, a decade ago, was a most unfortunate one. It came in, in silver and black and metal, in odd shapes and forms, and it was immediately taboed by people of quality.

In this early modern, stress was laid so heavily on form that color and texture suffered. It was labeled "modernistic" and people dismissed its importance as a new trend in the decoration of interiors. We have had so much "modernistic" in this country that I think it is necessary, from an educational point of view, to make a distinction between "modernistic" and modern.

Good modern furniture is so designed that it may be placed with that of other periods without losing caste. It has a chasteness of line, a softness and color that make it charming to look at and comfortable and practical to live with. It is simplicity itself. True, it is in an evolutionary stage today, but it will have its place in the history of tomorrow.

### SET YOUR OWN TASTE

If you are building a new home, you should certainly make a study of good modern. Choice of furniture is no longer a matter of formula. If

you are a person of individuality, your personality should be expressed in your home. You would not select an automobile of ancient vintage. You live in a country that is as modern as the next moment. Why then should not you live in a house that takes the best from tradition and adds to it, the character of contemporary?

Recently, I designed an exhibition of interiors that included both the traditional and the modern. Two out of five of these interiors were modern. The most important was a modern drawing-room, one which illustrates the fact that a decorator can use the same fineness with modern as with traditional periods.

The modern drawing-room was given a very unusual appearance by the use of decorative plaster work in the form of a modern cornice treatment with plaster draperies applied to the four corners of the room. At one end, niches were built and filled with plaster bas-relief in the form of large flower vases with naturalistic treatment of flowers in plaster radiating from them. The vases were softly electrified indirectly.

## HOW TO MAKE UP DISHES OF LEFTOVER MEATS

IN THESE days of careful budgeting and economizing the consumer has the ever-present problem of finding ways to serve left-overs attractively. If there is one place that no one enjoys seeing scrapping, it is at the table. You really do not have to make hash (good as it may be) or serve left-over meat sliced cold. There are many more appetizing ways to present the last of the roast.

"Swedish Meat Roll" is easy to make and a dish that would do credit to the most experienced chef.

Of course, there's no reason why fresh meat can't be used in this roll. If you do use fresh meat instead of left-overs, buy ½ pound of round steak or cooked ham and prepare it by the same recipe. Brown the round steak well with the onion.

### SWEDISH MEAT ROLL FOR SIX

One and a half cups chopped or ground left-over meat, 1 tablespoon minced onion, ¼ teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon pepper, 3 tablespoons left-over gravy or bouillon cube dissolved in water.

For the pastry: 2 cups flour, 4 teaspoons baking powder, ½ teaspoon salt, 4 tablespoons shortening, ¼ cup milk.

If you don't have left-over gravy, dissolve a bouillon or gravy cube in water and use three tablespoons of that.

Mix the meat with the onion, browned, salt, pepper and gravy.

To make the pastry, sift the dry ingredients, cut in the shortening with 2 sharp knives or a fork.

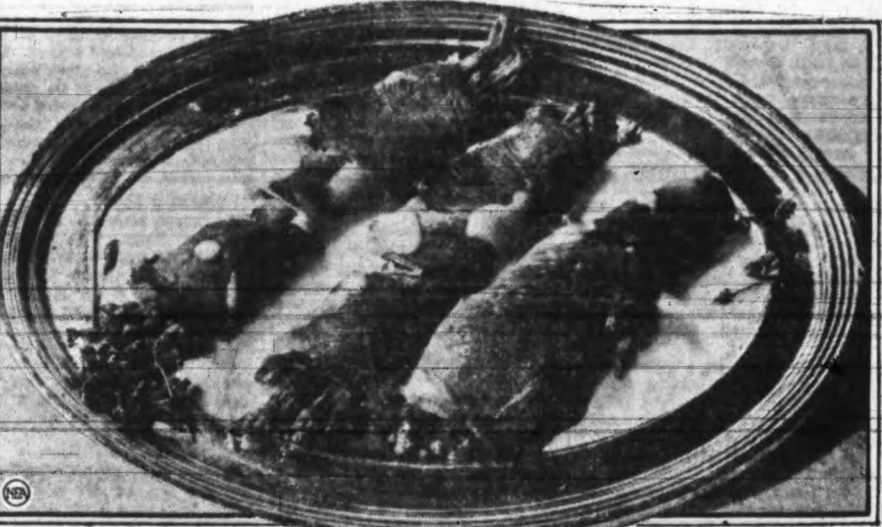
Add the milk to make a soft dough. Roll the dough ¼ inch thick. Spread this with the meat mixture and roll it lengthwise like a jelly roll.

Then cut this roll in slices 1 inch thick. Place the slices on a well greased baking pan.

Dot each slice with butter and bake it in a hot (400 degrees) oven fifteen minutes.

Serve with additional gravy to which more fried onions have been added. Don't serve potatoes or starchy vegetables with this roll. You might plan a menu around the meat roll something like this: Tomato juice cocktail, meat roll with gravy, whole buttered carrots or cauliflower with browned butter, salad bowl of mixed greens with French dressing, sliced oranges, cookies and coffee.

The dessert, in particular, should be a light one. Any main dish that is made with a pastry crust, such as this roll or a meat pie, indicates a light fruit dessert.



Ham roll-ups are so appetizing no one would ever guess left-overs were used in the dish. To make them, prepare a cheese sauce, using 4 tablespoons shortening, 5 tablespoons flour, 1½ cups milk, ½ cup grated cheese and seasoning. Trim fat from ham slices which should be 4½ inches in size. Roll four tips of asparagus in each slice and put rolls, seam-side down, in shallow baking pan. Surround with cheese sauce and bake in hot oven fifteen or twenty minutes until lightly browned.

## Meatless Meals Meet Tests of Flavor

FOR AN EARLY fall dinner that is to be meatless, Macaroni Mousse is a nutritious and inexpensive main dish. No use pretending, though, that its caloric count is not high. Members of the family who are watching their waistlines will have to take slim helpings.

This mousse is baked in a loaf form, unmolded on the platter, and served piping hot.

### MACARONI MOUSSE FOR SIX

One cup elbow macaroni, 1½ cups scalded milk, 1 cup soft bread crumbs, ¼ cup melted butter, 1 green pepper, minced, 1 pimento, minced,

1 tablespoon chopped parsley, 2 tablespoons minced onion, 1 teaspoon salt, ½ teaspoon paprika, ½ cup grated cheese, 3 eggs.

Boil the macaroni in salted, boiling water. Use the kind that is done in nine minutes.

Drain and place the macaroni in a greased loaf-shaped baking dish.

Then make the sauce this way: Pour the scalded milk over the bread crumbs. Allow the crumbs to dissolve slightly.

Add the melted butter to the milk and crumbs, then all the seasonings and cheese.

Beat the eggs well and add them last.

Pour the entire mixture over the macaroni.

Set the dish in a pan of hot water and bake in a moderate (350 degrees) oven forty minutes or until the mousse seems firm.

Test it by inserting a knife in the centre.

Turn it out on a platter and decorate with watercress or tomato slices. Macaroni Mousse can be served with cold meats or is satisfying by itself. Cut it in thick slices to serve.

A dinner based on this Macaroni Mousse is: Consomme with fresh



Maraschino Russian Cream, looking so tempting, is light and delicately flavored. It is made of milk, eggs and gelatin.

vegetables, Macaroni Mousse, mixed greens, salad with garlic French dressing, maraschino Russian cream, coffee.

### MARASCHINO RUSSIAN CREAM

Three tablespoons sugar, ½ teaspoon salt, 2 eggs, ¾ cup milk, scalded, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 1 package lemon-flavored gelatin, 1 cup warm water, ¼ cup maraschino cherry juice, ½ teaspoon almond extract.

Add sugar and salt to egg and beat slightly. Pour small amount of milk over eggs, stirring vigorously, return to remaining milk in double boiler and cook until mixture coats spoon, stirring constantly. Remove from fire. Add vanilla. Chill. Dissolve gelatin in warm water. Add salt, cherry juice and flavoring. Chill until cold and syrupy. Place in bowl of cracked ice or ice water and whip with rotary egg beater until fluffy and thick like whipped cream. Then beat in custard. Turn into cone-shaped molds. Chill until firm. Unmold. Garnish with whipped cream and slices of maraschino cherries. This serves six.

to take advantage of the magnificent view which the living-room windows afford. The fireplace group in the living-room features a large built-in sofa, two easy chairs and several mirror tables and is arranged so as to accommodate a large circle around the fireplace. The color plan of the house was so arranged that one tie color follows from room to room. All the furniture for the house was especially designed and made and to anyone who is interested in the modern trend in interior decoration, it should offer a veritable treasure trove. I wish that everyone in America could see these rooms. It would mean awakening to a new conception of the modern era of design.

The walls of the modern room were contrasted to the severe whiteness of the plaster by a soft grey painted treatment. A steel grey carpet covered the floor and transparent-lemon yellow gauze curtains gave a note of color at the windows. At both ends of the room, large pieces of furniture were strategically placed and from these pieces, colorful chairs and tables disseminated. Large and small wall pieces and occasional tables were made of stipped pine.

Of the many interesting pieces in the room, perhaps the most outstanding were an electrified glass table, a chaise longue sofa, a cream lacquer tray table, a tall mirror screen and a large flower painting by James Reynolds.

MODERN TREND DOMINATES  
I think modern is so important that it dominates plans recently completed for a new house in Scarborough-on-Hudson, New York. The exterior of the house is to be modern Regency, planned so as not to depart too far from the type of exterior in the neighborhood. The plan of the interior of the house is essentially modern, both in its placement of its rooms and its fenestration. The interior furnishing has been planned to create a feeling of spaciousness and to bring a note of elegance from town into country living. The living-room, a very large one, has three sitting groups, all of them motivated toward the outside in order







Mr. And Mrs.

I THINK YOU OUGHT TO TAKE SOME VITAMINE TABLETS THIS FALL, IF ONLY AS A PRECAUTION AGAINST COLD

NEVER COULD UNDERSTAND THAT VITAMINE STUFF



IT'S SIMPLE ENOUGH. VITAMINES SUPPLY ELEMENTS WHICH YOUR BODY LACKS

YOU READ THAT IN AN ADVERTISEMENT. YOU DON'T TALK THAT KIND OF TALK



NEVER MIND. DO YOU THINK I RELISH THE IDEA OF TAKING CARE OF YOU IF YOU GET SICK?

THINK THAT A - B - C - D STUFF IS GOING TO KEEP ME FROM IT?



I'M AMAZED AT SUCH IGNORANCE IN A MAN WHO CALLS HIMSELF INTELLIGENT

NO TIME TO TALK ABOUT IT NOW. GET A CAN OF ALPHABET SOUP AND ILL TAKE EM ALL AT ONCE



Bringing Up Father

YOUR WORRIES ARE OVER, JIGGS-I SENT THE GANG OVER TO YOUR HOUSE TO PERSUADE YOUR WIFE NOT TO RUN FOR MAYOR. THAT CREW WILL CONVINCE HER THAT SHE HASN'T GOT A CHANCE

THAT'S RICH. THEY'LL FEEL OUT OF RUNNIN'



I'LL JUST RUN HOME AND PEER OVER THE FENCE AND GET THE NEWS FIRST-HANDED



MOORAY FOR MAGGIE



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Boots And Her Buddies

WELL, I GUESS I'D BETTER HURRY OVER TO THE GYM NGET INTO MY SUIT. I'LL SEE YA AT THE GAME, BOOTS

OK, NOW, DO BE CAREFUL - PROMISE?



UH HUH, IT LOOKS LIKE A TOUGH AFTERNOON. ALL RIGHT



AW, I'M NOT WORRIED ABOUT THEM - IT'S OUR BOYS I'M GONNA HAVE TO LOOK OUT FOR



YEAH! THEY ALL KNOW I HAVE A DATE WITH YA THIS P.M. THAT'S B-A-A-O



Alley Oop

TOTALLY OBVIOUS TO ALL THAT GOES ON, THE CARDIFF GIANT, WHOSE SKULL SERVED AS A TARGET FOR KING WUR'S WAR CLUB, LIES DIRECTLY IN THE PATH OF THE ROARING SWAMP FIRE.



WUG?



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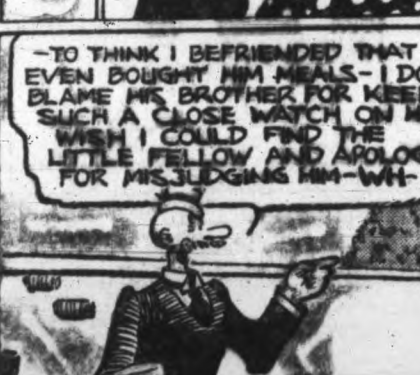


C'MON, YOU IF Y DON'T WANTA GIT BURNED TO DEATH, KEEP MOVIN'!!



Ella Cinders

WITH THEIR MEETING ON THE FIELD OF BATTLE APPROACHING CLEM AND BULL MAP THEIR PLANS ATTACK



NEVER MIND! I GOT IT ALL FIGURED - AND WHEN I MAP MY BATTLES IN ADVANCE EVERY-THING IS CARRIED OUT - INCLUDIN' MY OPPONENT!



I'LL HIT HIM SO HARD ON THE TOP O' HIS HEAD IT'LL DRIVE HIS WHISKERS CLEAN DOWN INTO HIS BOOT TOPS!



DON'T YOU RECKON YOU OUGHTA DO A LITTLE ROAD WORK, BULL, TO KINDA GET MORE LEGS IN CONDITION?



The Gumps

-TO THINK I BEFRIENDED THAT INGRATE - EVEN BOUGHT HIM MEALS - I DON'T BLAME HIS BROTHER FOR KEEPING SUCH A CLOSE WATCH ON HIM - WITH A COULD FIND LITTLE FELLOW AND MURDERER FOR HIS LOGS HIM - WH-



-SPEAK OF THE DEVIL! THERE HE IS NOW! HEY! JUST A MINUTE!



GUMP! HE SPOTTED ME!!



ALL RIGHT, MY FINE FEATHERED FRIEND - COME AND GET ME - IF YOU CAN!!!



Tarzan And the Leopard Men



Butage, leader of the advance guard of the Leopard Warriors, looked out upon the two white men. Neither of them, he knew, was the white giant he sought, but at any rate they would provide a welcome addition to the feast of his cannibalistic clan.

With his small scouting detachment he was eager to set upon them at once, before the main body of warriors arrived, for a quick victory would reflect great glory upon him and win him the favor of the chief. With a flourish of his steel talons, he gave the command.

The Kid and Old Timer were taken completely by surprise when the Leopard Men rushed from ambush. Old Timer whipped out his revolver, but before he could fire it was struck from his hand. The Kid was luckier. His gun barked, and one of the raiders fell.

That lone shot resounded through the forest. Tarzan heard. His every sense and muscle sprang immediately to attention. "Stay here," he said quickly to Orlando. "I shall see what's going on." And he sprang treeward toward the deadly conflict.

## Uncle Wiggily's Three Shots

By HOWARD R. GARIS

"Here he comes! Here he comes!" whispered the Fox. "Who is going to have the first nibble off his ear?" asked the Wolf as the rabbit gentleman, with a driver golf club on his shoulder, hopped out into the tall, deep grass to look for the lost ball. "I'm going to have the first nibble!" snapped the Fox. "I thought of this trick," suggested the Wolf. "There is no time!" whispered the Fox. "Uncle Wiggily is almost here to help us look for the ball we pretended was lost in the tall grass after he knocked it. If we quarrel, none of us will get any nibbles. That's so," said the Bob Cat. "If you don't let me have first nibbles I'll shout now and tell Uncle Wiggily that is all a trick and for him not to come into the tall grass." "Oh, have your own way about it," mewed the Bob Cat.

### HEAD-ACHES TO PLAY

So along hopped Uncle Wiggily from the practice tee where, as I told you in the story before this, he had been knocking golf balls from the alligator gentleman's hot carrot and gold lemons stand for practice. As the alligator's little boys had gone to a picnic and weren't around to chase the knocked balls, the Bob Cat offered to do this. Uncle Wiggily wasn't afraid of them. He had a trick to play on them.

"Now this is how we shall play this game," whispered the Fox to the other two. "I'm to have first nibbles. So, when Uncle Wiggily gets here, I'll call and say, 'Come over where the grass is tall. I think I see your lost golf ball.' 'Why you made a rhyme!' mewed the Bob Cat. 'Never mind about that!' snarled the Fox. 'When Uncle Wiggily is near enough I'll grab and nibble him. When I have finished it will be your turn.' 'But we must come-for-me' said the Wolf. 'All right,' agreed the Bob Cat. 'Then he called' mewed the Uncle Wiggily. 'I think your lost ball is here.' Uncle Wiggily hopped through the tall grass to the place where the Fox was. The Bob Cat rolled his tongue around his hungry teeth. 'Where is my ball?' said Uncle Wiggily, taking a light hold of his driver club. 'Right here,' said the Fox. 'Pick it up for me, like a good Bob Cat. It's in the grass, like a good Bob Cat. It's in the grass, like a good Bob Cat.'

### SHOT NO. 1

The Fox leaped over to pretend to pick up a golf ball which wasn't there. He intended to grab Uncle Wiggily's legs, upset him and sit on him. But as the Fox leaped over, Mr. Longears raised his golf club and whammed the Fox on the head with a very hard, snaking him down. 'One shot!' laughed the bunny. 'Along came hunching the Wolf through the tall grass. Uncle Wiggily waited until the Bob Cat was near enough and then he grabbed him down. 'Two shots!' laughed the bunny. 'It must be my turn to nibble now,' mewed the Bob Cat, hearing the noise. He rushed through the tall grass. 'Three shots!' cried Mr. Longears, as he whammed the Bob Cat. And having all three Bob Cats with very bad headaches in the grass, Mr. Longears laughing and twirling his point nose, hopped home and if the apple doesn't jump out of the dumpling and hide in the pie, where the piece of cheese can't find it, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily's necktie.

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## HOROSCOPE

"The stars incline, but do not compel"

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1938

Kindly stars rule today, according to astrology. The way favors domestic harmony and close friendships. It is most favorable for social contacts. Women should find this a lucky day in which to obtain pledges and promises, whether they be romantic or merely practical. It is a suspicious time for enlarging the family budget. The clergy should benefit through closer association with the public and keener understanding of the people. They will be unlucky, however, if they try to mix politics or business with religion. The stars are read as most promising for persons who hold high places in government affairs. They are believed to be protected and guided toward success. Much illness is indicated for the late autumn and the winter. The health of children may suffer through scarcity and the high cost of food in many parts of the country. Newspapers and periodicals will be more carefully read than usual in the coming weeks. Many prophets will fail to foresee what astrologers long have predicted. Omens and portents will be watched as never under threat of disaster will prove surprising. Thrift has been preached for many weeks by astrologers who have been warning against the reckless use of money by individuals or groups. Autumn days of mildness and beauty will extend far into November, according to astrologers, but a severe winter will bring great suffering. Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of a year of happiness to which few affairs of the young will contribute. Grandparents should be especially blessed. Children born on this day probably will be exceedingly likable and popular. Girls may be unusually suited. Many reach fame.

Helen Hunt Jackson, author, was born on this day, 1818. Others who have celebrated it as a birthday include Henri Bergson, philosopher, 1859; Amos Pinney, naturalist, 1855.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1938

Benetic aspects dominate today, according to astrology, but certain adverse planetary influences are active also. The early hours promise most to businessmen and women. This is an auspicious day for merchants and exporters. There may be intensive work in grain factories. Steel and iron interests will prosper. The planetary government favors leadership among men. Heads of educational institutions should benefit. Judges should be fortunate in the coming year when there will be honors for many jurists. Contracts signed under this configuration should be profitable. It is a fortunate way for leasing property. Next year many houses will be built in small towns. Those who desire to seek favors of any sort should delay initiative. Under this rule of the stars men and women who wield power may be difficult to impress. Selfishness and preoccupation with personal matters may be more than usually prevalent. Small fears will bore beneath the confidence of many candidates while this configuration continues. Mars today is in a place of sinister influence. Quarrels and conflicts great and small are indicated. Distressing news from foreign countries is foretold. Growth of sentiment against war is pre-nag for the United States, where peace societies will multiply. Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of a year of journeys and possible adventures. Business should be carefully watched and quarrels avoided. Children born on this day probably will be high-spirited, feisty and aggressive. Subjects of this sign gain fame through hard work. Fannie Hurst, writer, was born on this day, 1880. Others who have celebrated it as a birthday include Joseph C. Hutcheson Jr., judge, 1879 and Henry Burd Cassell, former congressman, 1855.

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### Catty

A leading man in the cinema world entertained two beautiful movie "stars" to tea. Relations between them were strained, and for business reasons he wanted them to be friends again. "Come, make up!" he said, impulsively. "But Thais," said the blonde "star," "is already made up."

Thais, the brunette, bit her lip. The little tea party went on. The talk turned, after a while to burglars. "I always feel safe," the blonde "star" said, "when there's a man in the house."

This was Thais's chance. "I don't see why you shouldn't dear," she laughed.